

"Guide to Living On-site at Fermilab:

The Place, The People, and The Community"
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## 1. Introduction to This Guide

Welcome to the Fermilab Community!

This guide has been organized to provide you with useful and basic information as you and your family settle into the area. Although we have tried to be accurate and up-to-date, we know that there will be some things left out or information included which is incorrect and we apologize for that. We hope however, that the information provided serves an important role in helping Fermilab new arrivals quickly get a feel for the richness of the community on-site, in the immediate area, and in the Chicago area.

This summer 2015 revamp of the "The Guide to Life at Fermilab" has been a joint project of the Fermilab Student and Postdoc Association (FSPA), and Fermilab's Community Organization (NALWO). Please feel free to contact either of these groups with comments or questions.

The goal is to update this guide on a yearly basis during each spring. Please direct any updates to this guide to either: fspa\_officers@fnal.gov or nalwo@fnal.gov with a subject line of "Guide to Life update information."

## **1.1 FSPA**

The Fermilab Student and Postdoc Association (FSPA) [fspa\_officers@fnal.gov; <a href="http://orgs.fnal.gov/fspa">http://orgs.fnal.gov/fspa</a>] is the organization of all graduate student and postdoctoral user's of Fermilab, on- and off-site. Representatives from this community are elected every year, in the early fall to represent the interests of the young scientists associated with the lab. Among their responsibilities is to foster a vibrant social atmosphere for local students and postdocs, particularly by arranging social events for them. FSPA has the following mission:

- Act as a liaison between the FNAL Directorate, Experiment managers, Computing Division, the
  Users' Executive Committee (the UEC, the voice of all user's at Fermilab), and the graduate
  students/post-doc community,
- Continue the education of the graduate student/post-doc community,
- Disseminate information about employment opportunities,
- Encourage interaction among graduate students/post-docs from different experiments,
- Help with outreach and educational programs,
- Encourage graduate students/post-docs to take a more active role at FNAL,
- And, offer some entertainment for students/post-docs.

FSPA officers attend monthly UEC meetings to represent the needs and voice of their constituency to the Fermilab leadership. Graduate students make up a significant portion of the User population at Fermilab (as of November '14, >800), and as such need to make their voice heard by other Users, as well as laboratory management. Towards this goal, the FSPA works closely with the UEC. Among their joint efforts is an annual trip to Washington, DC, to lobby for the needs of the High Energy Physics community.

FSPA manages and maintains the 'fnalgrad' email list, which is used as a venue for students and residents of the Fermilab Village to communicate with each other, as well as a forum for messages to be disseminated to the population of young people at the lab. The FSPA webpage also provides information on upcoming events and employment opportunities that concern grad students. Occasionally, the FSPA hosts sponsored job seminars and other informative discussions on-site.

Each year, FSPA organizes "New Perspectives", a conference for undergraduate, graduate students, and young post-docs, which occurs in conjunction with the annual user's Meeting, organized by the UEC. Participants have the opportunity to present their work by giving a talk and/or a poster session in a low pressure environment, to an audience of peers. This conference has grown to be a highlight on the Fermilab calendar and provides students with a great opportunity to gain experience and learn from their young colleagues.

In addition to its formal tasks, FSPA also works to bring some fun to the lab, hosting annual events such as the Halloween party and the New Perspectives BBQ.

## **1.2 NALWO**

**NALWO** (Fermilab's Community Organization, <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/nalwo/">http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/nalwo/</a>) includes all members of the Fermilab community, but **in particular employees' spouses and their families.** Visitors and newcomers are especially encouraged to join NALWO activities. Fermilab community members are welcome to bring guests from outside the Lab community to NALWO activities. NALWO has a Village and Newcomer Liaison to offer help or advice to those who have just arrived or are living on-site. Contact the Housing Office (630-840-3777) or nalwo@fnal.gov to be connected with this person.

The organization sponsors:

- English as a Second Language (ESL) Conversation Group: The NALWO ESL Conversation Group meets Wednesday mornings, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., in the Lounge at the Users' Center, late August through May each year. Meetings are free, there is no need to sign-up and you may begin any time! You can reach the ESL group facilitators with questions, or a request to subscribe to the English conversation group email list (which provides useful information about class schedule changes) at: NALWO ENGLISH TEACHERS@fnal.gov or at nalwo@fnal.gov.
- Playgroup: NALWO sponsors a cooperative playgroup for families with children that meets weekly at the Users' Center. During the 2014-15 school year, the playgroup met Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. but the times can change to suit the needs of the participants. The NALWO Playgroup also organizes parties and special events several times throughout the year for Fermilab families. All Fermilab families employees and users are welcome to attend. To learn about upcoming events or family-friendly fun in the Fermilab area, join our email list and visit http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/nalwo/playgroup.html.
- Special Events: NALWO holds special programs such as cooking demonstrations, crafts workshops, lectures, and informal music programs. Although occasionally presented by outside guests, most of these programs are prepared and presented by NALWO members. All are encouraged to present their special talents. Individuals do the planning and preparation; the organization helps with the invitations, publicity, room reservations and costs. Please send ideas for new activities to nalwo@fnal.gov.
- International Folk Dancing, Scottish Country Dancing, and English Country Dancing: NALWO sponsors three of Fermilab's recreational dance groups, which are open to everyone from Fermilab and the surrounding communities. For more information, contact folkdance@fnal.gov or Mady Newfield at 630-584-0825.
- **Potlucks**: NALWO occasionally hosts potluck dinners the Fermilab Village. They are open to anyone from the Lab and their guests. Each person or family brings a dish of food to share.
- **Toy Library**: The Toy Library is in the music room of the Users' Center. Toys may be borrowed from this room for use at home on a short-term basis. For further information contact the Housing office at 630-840-3777.
- Information about the Maternity Closet: The maternity closet, created by the Fermilab Mothers at Work Program, is now located in the Fermilab Children's Center. Those interested in using or donating clothes should make an appointment with Kathleen Venn Bowers at x4367. For more information, visit http://wdrs.fnal.gov/elr/familybalance/maternitycloset.html.

## 2. Once You Arrive at Fermilab: Part 1- The Basics

## 2.0 Before You Arrive

You can have your luggage and belongings shipped to the Fermilab Receiving Office, which is located near the fixed target area, off of Road B (see Appendix 6). Contact the Fermilab Transportation Services Department (x3470) for specific information and instructions or call 630-840-3000, the phone number for the Fermilab telephone operator.

## 2.1 How is the Site Organized/Which Office Does What?

## 2.1.1 Fermilab Layout and Local Area

Fermilab is located in Batavia, IL, about 35 miles (50 km) west of Chicago. The main entrance is on Farnsworth Ave (Kirk Road) and Pine Street, just 3 miles north of the I-88/Farnsworth Ave exit. The location of Fermilab relative to the surrounding highways is shown in Figure 1.



Figure 1: Location of Fermilab

Three gated entrances provide access to Fermilab: the main entrance on Pine St, the Batavia Rd entrance on the east side of the lab (this entrance is closed 12:30 a.m. - 6:00 a.m.), and the service entrance on Wilson Rd (closed nights and weekends).

There are several primary areas and places of interest on the site, all of which can be seen on a scale model of Fermilab located on the 15th floor of Wilson Hall, the central building on-site. The largest central locations on Fermilab are described in more detail below.

## Wilson Hall

Also known as the High-Rise, this structure dominates the landscape and is the center of Fermilab operations. Many of the experiments and divisions have offices in the upper levels of Wilson Hall. The first floor has the Arts and Lecture Series Box Office, Office of Communication, Cafeteria, Vending Machines (food), and the One West meeting room. A medical office for Fermilab employees, the Key and

ID office, Communications Center (Com Center), Abri Credit Union, an ATM, Duplicating and Visual Media Services are located on the ground floor (one floor below the first floor). The Users' Office is on the Mezzanine and the Visa Office (International Services) is on the 15<sup>th</sup> floor. Down the large set of stairs at the back of Wilson Hall is Ramsey Auditorium. Ramsey is used for many lab-wide events, such as the annual Users' Meeting, important announcements from the lab director, diverse cultural events for the general public, and Diversity Council presentations. The Cashier is located on the fourth floor, east side, in front of the elevator. This is where you go to pay various charges such as for Visual Media services. You may also cash a check there, although you must show your Fermilab ID. The Travel Office is also located on the fourth floor, east side. The Cashier's Office hours are: Monday, Saturday and Sunday - closed; Tuesday through Friday – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

The most important thing to know about Wilson Hall is how to interpret directions that people may give you for places inside the High-Rise. The Ground Floor (basement, WHGF) is the floor at the bottom of the building; Enter from the East or West parking lots. The First Floor is the next floor up from there, enter from the Horse Shoe parking lot (semi-circular driveway). "XO" denotes crossover area. The front of the building (with the semi-circular driveway and the reflecting pond) is referred to as north. Directions generally are given in the form WH1W, where WH stands for Wilson Hall, the number denotes the floor, and the subsequent letters define the cardinal point of the location, relative to the above definition of North.

"Communications" is used to describe several departments in Wilson Hall. "The Office of Communication" (WH1NE) (formerly "The Office of Public Affairs): news and information about Fermilab and high-energy physics. "Telecommunications" (WH5W) (often referred to as "Communications" or "Communications Services"): pagers, Fermilab cell phones, and telephone services. "Communications Center" (WHGF next to the Key and ID Office) (often referred to as "ComCenter"): telephone operator, faxes (fee), emergency dispatch, and Lost and Found.

IN ANY EMERGENCY DIAL EXTENSION 3131 FROM ANY FERMILAB LANDLINE – this will put you in immediate contact with the Fermilab emergency dispatch.

The High Rise offers many services to Users. The locations of primary interest are listed below.

- **Visa Office**: Located on the 15<sup>th</sup> floor of Wilson Hall, West side. Immigration- related services for non-US citizens working at Fermilab, including J-1 sponsorship, H-1B petitions, and permanent residence. They also advise on the U.S. visa application process, and provide guidance on most aspects of the U.S. immigration process that might confront Fermilab employees. Because they frequently have meetings, both in their offices and elsewhere in Wilson Hall, we strongly recommend emailing for an appointment visaoffice@fnal.gov.
- Users' Office: Located on the Wilson Hall Mezzanine, between the ground and first floors (MS 232), the Users' Office is your primary source of User-related information at Fermilab. It should also be your first stop upon your first arrival at Fermilab. The Users' Office coordinates the issuance of ID badges for site access and computing accounts for computer system access to scientists and professionals, introduces the User to the laboratory, and gives user's information about laboratory policies, procedures and facilities. The Users' Office also provides information and responds to questions and concerns about nearly any issue relating to the User's involvement with Fermilab. The Users' Office is normally open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. 4:30 p.m., and closed noon 1 p.m., but this schedule is subject to change. The office may be contacted by email at usersoffice@fnal.gov.

- Arts and Lecture Series Box Office: Located in the Wilson Hall atrium (except one hour prior
  to performances, when it moves to the Ramsey Auditorium lobby). Purchase tickets for Arts,
  Lecture, and Gallery Chamber tickets here. Grad students with ID can purchase Arts Series
  tickets for half price and receive comp (free) Lecture Series tickets
  (<a href="https://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/arts\_tickets.shtml">https://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/arts\_tickets.shtml</a>). The Fermilab Arts and Lecture Series
  website is at <a href="https://www.fnal.gov/culture">https://www.fnal.gov/culture</a>.
- Travel Office: Located on the fourth floor of Wilson Hall (WH4SE, MS 207, x3397, x3398), the Travel Office can provide services relating to Fermilab business travel only. See their guide for details on travel: <a href="https://web.fnal.gov/organization/Finance/business/SitePages/Fermilab%20Travel%20Guide.aspx">https://web.fnal.gov/organization/Finance/business/SitePages/Fermilab%20Travel%20Guide.aspx</a>
- **Key & ID Office**: Located on the ground floor near the west elevators, WHGF, MS 101, **x4506**, the Key & ID Office will be one of the subsequent stops you make. Pick up your Fermi ID here. You will need to renew your ID every year.
- **The Library**: The library is located on the third floor crossover (WH3S), and is tailored to suit the needs of HEP experimenters. Information about library services and available periodicals are online at <a href="http://bss.fnal.gov/library/index.html">http://bss.fnal.gov/library/index.html</a>.
- Wilson Hall Cafe: The Cafeteria is located at the southeast end of the first floor of the high-rise (WH1SE). The weekly menu is available online at: https://fermilabcafe.southernfoodservice.com/WeeklyMenu.aspx. They usually offer a vegetarian entree and there is always a salad bar available.
- Recreation Office: The Recreation Office is located on the west side of the 15th floor of Wilson Hall (WH15W). They will tell you about most of the recreational possibilities at Fermilab. You can get a taste of the offerings in section 4.3. The Recreation Office website is at <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/recreation/index.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/recreation/index.html</a>.
- **Post Office and Stockroom**: The post office and stockroom are located at Site 38 (MS 358). Note that the post office can handle personal letters but not personal packages. See further Postal and Parcel Services information in section 3.8.
- Medical Office: U.S. HealthWorks Medical Group provides on-site occupational medical services at Fermilab. The medical office is located at the northwest corner of the ground floor of Wilson Hall. (WHGFW MS 204), x3232.
- **Vending Machines**: Located on the first floor of Wilson Hall, Southwest of the cafeteria seating area (WH1SW). Offers cold and hot beverages, candy, snacks, and packaged lunch items. The room is equipped with a microwave.
- **Meeting Rooms**: Wilson Hall is home to several very popular meeting rooms. These rooms are listed with all the other conference rooms around Fermilab in Appendix 7. (http://www.fnal.gov/directorate/OPMO/mapsdirections/WHMaps.htm)

## Fermilab Village

The Fermilab Village, located near the East entrance to Fermilab (Batavia Road), contains a number of research labs as well as housing for students and visiting scientists. There is a map of the Fermilab Village in Appendix 6. The Housing Office is located at Aspen East, the large house at Batavia Road and Sauk Boulevard.

- The Fermilab Village Users' Center is open Monday to Thursday, 5:00 10:00 p.m., and Fridays, 5:00 p.m. midnight. (These hours are flexible—sometimes the Users' Center closes early). It has a TV/video room, 2 pool tables and a table for table tennis, which are free and open to anyone. The Users' Center also has a piano room and a bar as well as a small restaurant, "Chez Leon", which is open on Wednesdays for lunch and Fridays for dinner (some holiday Fridays it is closed). Reservations are required (call x3524), and the menu may be found at: <a href="http://fess.fnal.gov/chezleon/index.html">http://fess.fnal.gov/chezleon/index.html</a>
- Kuhn Barn is used for all kinds of functions, such as the annual FSPA Halloween Party, and for dance groups. The area in front of Kuhn Barn has picnic tables and grills which may be used by anyone. To reserve the barn, check its availability with the Housing Office, then submit a Facility Request Form after agreeing to the disclaimer (http://bss.fnal.gov/facilities/disclaimer.html).
- Laundry and vending machines are located at 18 Sauk Boulevard, across the street from the Users' Center parking lot. The laundry facility has also a small room with a piano. To use the piano room you must ask for the key at the Housing Office. Snacks and drinks are available from the vending machines at all times.
- The Gym and the sports courts are located at 16 Potawatomi. There is a fee for using the gym. Once you have purchased a membership, your Fermilab ID card is used to enter the gym. You will find more information in Section 4.3 (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/faq/">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/faq/</a> recreation).
- The Children's Center day care facility is located at 34 Shabbona. It opens at 6:45 am and closes at 5:30 pm. More information may be found in Chapter 3.6 or by visiting their web page at <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/handbook.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/handbook.html</a>, calling x3762 or emailing daycare@fnal.gov.
- The laboratories which are located in The Fermilab Village are: Lab 1, Lab 2, Lab 3, Lab 4, Lab 5, Lab 5 Pole Bldg., Lab 6, and Lab 7.

## 2.2 Who Lives Here and Why?

## 2.2.1 Accommodations On-site

#### HOUSING OFFICE (http://fess.fnal.gov/accommodations/general\_information.html)

The Housing Office, located in Aspen East at the corner of Batavia Road and Sauk Boulevard, is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m - 4:00 p.m. You may contact the Housing Office by phone (630-840-3777), email (housing@fnal.gov), or fax (630-840-2823). This office accepts all on-site housing requests and rental payments, and oversees the operation of all Fermilab housing facilities. Your comments regarding the accommodations, as well as the services provided, are always welcomed.

#### **RENTAL FEES**

Rental fees and other charges are payable by cash, check, money order, traveler's checks, credit card (Visa, MasterCard, and Discover), or approved project/task number (travel code). For occupancies in excess of 30 days, the account will be due on the 20th of each month. Payments may be made at the

Housing Office, Aspen East. It is your responsibility to pay rental fees on time – reminders will not be sent.

#### **CHECK IN**

Residents arriving between 8:00 a.m. and 3:45 p.m. Monday through Friday must check in at the Housing Office at Aspen East. After 3:45 p.m. and weekend or holiday arrivals can pick up their key at the Communications Center on the ground floor of Wilson Hall. The Communications Center is manned 24/7.

#### **CHECK OUT**

Houses and apartments - 10:00 a.m. Dormitory rooms - 1:00 p.m.

Residences must be vacated at the above indicated times on the day specified on your housing contract and door card. If you stay beyond 1:00 p.m. on your check out day, you are prohibiting use by another guest who has reserved this room and you will be charged additional rent. If you need to extend your stay, contact the Housing Office at x3777 as soon as possible.

All residences are subject to departure inspections near the check-out date. The Housing Office may charge additional fees if the building, equipment, or furniture is damaged beyond normal wear.

Before checking out of a dormitory, be sure to discard any food stored in the room or kitchen.

#### **GUEST CHANGES**

The Housing Office must be informed of the number and names of all tenants and their guests in each unit at ALL times. Fermilab Security requires the Housing Office to maintain an accurate Occupancy List at all times. When an experimental group rents houses, apartments, or dorm rooms, it is mandatory that the Housing Office be notified as each new guest arrives or departs. Failure to comply may result in a delay when arriving at Fermilab, or even refusal to access the site.

#### **SECURITY**

For current information on Fermilab identification badges, check the Users' Office website at: <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/</a> Guests of on-site residents must register with the Housing Office and obtain a temporary guest pass. If the guest will live on-site for an extended time, then a permanent ID can be obtained. Contact the Housing Office for more information. (Children under the age of 16 are not required to have an ID.) Note that you don't need a Fermilab badge to visit the site, only state issued identification.

## REMEMBER TO LOCK YOUR RESIDENCE, ESPECIALLY WHEN YOU LEAVE IT EMPTY.

#### **KEYS**

Lockouts: In order to assure that you will not be locked out of your residence, it is important that you have your keys with you at all times. There are emergency keys available from the Housing Office during regular business hours, Monday through Friday. At all other times, contact Security at **x3414** for access to your residence.

Returns: When checking out of your accommodations, the key should be returned to the Housing Office in Aspen East. When the Office is closed, keys should be deposited in the key slot in the office door at Aspen East or left at the Communication Center on the ground floor of Wilson Hall.

## DO NOT LEAVE THE KEY IN YOUR ROOM

## IN CASE OF EMERGENCY - DIAL "3131" if calling from a Fermilab phone; otherwise dial "630-840-3131"

Telephones are located in the kitchen or lobby area of each dorm (local calls only). Locations of these telephones are as follows:

Dorm 1 (The Pad), 32 Sauk Blvd. Kitchen, x3583

Dorm 2, 2 Shabbona Kitchen, x3424

Dorm 3, 1 Shabbona Kitchen, x4904

Dorm 4, 20 Potawatomi Kitchen, x3448

Dorm 5, 33 Neuqua Kitchen, x4762

Dorm 6, 23 Potawatomi Kitchen, x4706

Aspen East, 1 Sauk Blvd. Lobby, x3291

A telephone is also located in the Vending Building at 18 Sauk Boulevard.

## APPLIANCES, AIR CONDITIONERS, AND OTHER EQUIPMENT

The following are prohibited in any house, apartment, or dormitory room:

- Appliances not installed or approved by the Housing Office, including washers and dryers.
- Air conditioners, including window units.
- Electrical equipment that may overload the electrical supply.
- Gas-supplied (propane, butane) cooking or heating devices.
- Any appliances or devices not approved by a recognized certifying agency (UL, ETL, etc.)

## Any of these items are subject to removal by the Housing Office.

A special note about SPACE HEATERS:

- Must use 1500 watts maximum and operate using standard household current (110 volts). Fuel powered space heaters are not permitted.
- Must have a tip-over shutdown feature. If a space heater is knocked over, the unit must automatically shut off.
- Must be UL (Underwriters Laboratory), or FM (Factory Mutual) approved, and must be labeled accordingly.
- Must have a thermostat that shuts unit off when a temperature setting is reached.
- Must be fan driven with a ceramic core **OR** liquid filled.
- Space heaters with heated coils are **NOT** permitted.

The Housing Office can supply you with an approved space heater.

## **TELEPHONES**

Each house, apartment, and dorm room has a telephone. There is no charge for local calls although you must first dial 9 (then 1+area code+ phone number) for all local calls off-site. To call any number within Fermilab simply dial the last four digits...x3131.

#### **SMOKING POLICY**

Smoking is prohibited in all dormitories and apartments, including electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes). All smoking materials, including cigarette butts, must be discarded in a responsible manner (inside designated containers, etc.).

#### HOUSEKEEPING SERVICE

Dormitory - Common Areas: Common areas (kitchens, bathrooms, etc.) are cleaned each day, Monday through Friday. However, dishes, utensils, and personal items are not cleaned. Residents are responsible for cleaning these items.

Dormitory - Room: Rooms are cleaned and linen changed once a week. If you wish daily housekeeping service, it is available at an extra charge.

Houses & Apartments with Families: No housekeeping service is required. If you wish to have housekeeping service, contact the Housing Office at **x3777**.

Houses & Apartments with Singles (Arranged by Experimental Groups): Housekeeping service is required if more than a single tenant rents a unit. The monthly fee varies, depending on the size of the house/apartment. Each week the entire unit is cleaned, except for the washing of dishes and the inside of the refrigerator and stove.

## LINEN SERVICE

Dorm Room: Linens are changed once a week. If you need to know the day your linen will be changed, call the Housing Office, **x3777**.

Houses & Apartments with Families: Soiled linen is picked up on Monday morning for houses north of Batavia Road and Tuesday mornings for houses and apartments on Sauk Circle. On the scheduled day, place your soiled linen out by 9:30 a.m. using the plastic bag and linen tag provided for this purpose. Please complete the linen tag according to the supplied instructions. Clean replacements are delivered the same afternoon before 3:00 p.m.

Houses & Apartments with Singles: Linens will be changed during the weekly cleaning. If additional linen is needed, or if you need to know what day your linen will be changed, call the Housing Office, **x3777**.

Bedspreads: If your bedspreads, blankets, or quilts need cleaning, call the Housing Office at **x3777**. They can arrange for these items to be picked up, dry-cleaned, and returned to you twice per year. More frequent cleanings will result in extra charges to the resident.

#### **GARBAGE**

Dormitories: Garbage cans are located in the kitchen area of each dormitory. These will be emptied on weekdays to the dumpsters or totes outside.

Village and Sauk Circle Houses/Apartments: There is a large garbage tote or dumpster near your building. The totes will be emptied weekly. You do not have to move the tote to the front of your driveway. However, garbage must be put in a plastic bag before placing it in the tote.

#### RECYCLING

Recycling for residential buildings allows mixing of recyclable metal, glass, plastic, and paper in the same container - separation is not necessary. Specific information regarding the types of material that can be recycled is listed below. This program includes recyclables from **RESIDENCES ONLY**. You must not place any recyclables from experimental areas of the lab (e.g., scrap metal) into the residential recycling containers.

Dormitories: In each dormitory kitchen, a labeled recycling container is provided. Please be sure to place **ONLY** recyclables into this container. The housekeeping staff will transfer the recyclables to the blue recycling containers positioned near the trash dumpsters.

Village and Sauk Circle Houses/Apartments: Specially marked recycling containers are provided next to the garbage totes. Recycling will be picked up weekly. Remember to place only recyclables into the recycling tote and the regular garbage into the garbage tote.

- METAL -- Rigid household containers mainly cans. Empty and thoroughly rinse. No gutters, siding, toys, pots, pans, lab scrap metal, etc.
- GLASS -- Rigid household containers only mainly bottles. Empty and thoroughly rinse. No windows, mirrors, broken glass, etc.
- PLASTIC -- Rigid household containers only. Empty, rinse, and remove the caps. Check the number on the container 1,2,3,4, and 5 are recyclable. Numbers 6 and 7 are NOT recyclable. No packing material, such as polystyrene "peanuts".
- PAPER -- Cardboard, junk mail, magazines, newspapers, envelopes, and white paper are all OK. Break boxes down flat. DO NOT recycle laminated paper, paper towels/tissues, or paper contaminated with food (e.g., pizza boxes).

All of these types can be placed into the recycle bins together - they do not need to be separated (though you may want to keep paper in a separate bag to reduce the chance of blowing away during transfer).

## **PET POLICY** (on-site)

Pets are allowed in houses and some apartments (not in dormitories) under the following conditions:

- 1. You must register your pet with the Housing Office and sign a document that states that you will be responsible for keeping your animal under control at all times.
- 2. If your pet is a dog or cat, you must have in your possession a valid pet license and a recent Rabies Vaccination Certificate.
- 3. You are responsible for picking up and properly disposing of all animal waste both inside and outside.
- 4. A one-time cleaning fee of \$100.00 is due at time of check-in.
- 5. A damage fee will be assessed if the building, furniture, or other equipment are damaged by your pet. Failure to notify Housing of your pet's presence is considered reason for denying you accommodations.

## **REPAIRS** (including Pest control)

Maintenance repairs in your house, apartment, or dorm can be reported by calling the Housing Office, **x3994**. If you need an emergency repair after regular business hours (8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday), call the Fermilab Operator (dial "0").

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES - DIAL 3131**

On-site emergency services provided by the Laboratory include:

FIRE PROTECTION AMBULANCE SECURITY

Your call to x3131 goes directly to the Laboratory Operator. When the Operator answers, state your name, location, and the nature of the emergency. Remain on the phone until the operator indicates that he/she has all the information needed for the responding units. The Operator will then activate the emergency signals.

Severe weather warnings or other emergency situations are announced over the site-wide Emergency Warning System (SEWS) from the Communications Center in Wilson Hall. Tone Alert Receivers (TARs) are radio units installed in all houses, apartments, and dorm rooms to receive and announce these emergency transmissions. **ALWAYS LEAVE THESE UNITS ON AND NEVER UNPLUG THEM!** If they activate, listen to the emergency message and follow the instructions. You can then reset the unit by pushing the "RESET" button.

The Outdoor Warning Siren System is also part of SEWS. Two alarms are present in The Fermilab Village - one in the parking area behind Dorm 4 and one at Kuhn Barn. They will activate as a steady alarm in case of a severe weather warning or as an oscillating (or, "warbling") alarm in the event of a national emergency. In either event, you must seek shelter when you hear these exterior sirens. SEWS is tested on the first Tuesday of the month at 10:00 a.m. Depending on your location, you will hear the indoor TARs units or the outdoor sirens at that time.

#### SHELTER AREAS

In case of emergency, shelter areas are located in The Fermilab Village at the following locations:

Aspen East-Basement, 1 Sauk Blvd.
Dorm 3-Basement, 1 Shabbona
14 Sauk Circle-Basement, South of Batavia Rd.
Bell Tower Hill, Next to Children's Center (28 Shabbona)
Lab 6, 32A Neuqua
29 Blackhawk

If indoors and a severe thunderstorm warning is issued, do not use electrical appliances, including the telephone. Move away from the windows. If the storm worsens and you cannot move to a shelter quickly and must take refuge inside your residence, then try to assemble in a small interior room with as few windows as possible, and without hazardous equipment present (water heaters, furnaces, etc.).

If you decide to travel outside to a designated shelter, use extreme caution. Be aware of heavy rain, hail, lightning and flying debris.

## SMOKE ALARMS, HEAT SENSORS, AND CARBON MONOXIDE MONITORS

All Fermilab residences have smoke alarms, heat sensors, and carbon monoxide monitors throughout the building. **Do not remove, unplug, or disable** any of these devices in any Fermilab residence. If a smoke alarm, heat sensor, or carbon monoxide monitor sounds an alarm:

- 1. Leave the residence immediately; pull the fire alarm as you exit the building.
- 2. Call x3131 from a safe location, and
- 3. Assemble across the street from the building.

If the device emits an occasional "beep" or other noise, contact the Housing Office, **x3994** or the Communications Center, **x3414**.

#### LISTSERVE

We strongly encourage all residents living on-site to join Housing's automated email service at: <a href="http://listserv.fnal.gov/scripts/wa.exe?SUBED1=housing\_office&A=1">http://listserv.fnal.gov/scripts/wa.exe?SUBED1=housing\_office&A=1</a>. You will then receive timely notices on upgrades to The Fermilab Village properties, possible interruptions in utilities due to construction work, or other information affecting The Fermilab Village community.

#### NOTES FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

For families with small children, remember that in the United States, leaving a young child alone for even a brief period of time can be considered child neglect by State child welfare authorities. If Fermilab personnel witness any incident of this type, they may have to report the incident to the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS).

If your children are of pre-school age (6 weeks to 5 years old), and you need child care services, contact the Children's Center, our on-site day care facility, for information. They can tell you the current fees, hours, availability, etc. Keep in mind that there may be a waiting list, so contact the Center as soon as possible, **x3762**. If your children are of school age (5 to 18 years old), contact the Housing Office for information about schools and bus schedules.

Children 18 years and younger must be properly supervised at all times.

#### SATELLITE TV

If a Fermilab Village resident of a house or apartment desires satellite television, the following requirements apply. Satellite TV is not available in the dormitories.

Contact a satellite television service provider to inquire about the various packages they offer.

Once you have decided which satellite television provider you will use, contact the Housing Office at **x3994**. The Housing Office MUST arrange for the installation of the satellite television system to the residence. **DO NOT** arrange for an installation without calling the Housing Office first. All installations must follow Fermilab procedures and be managed by Housing. Any unauthorized satellite installations will be removed. Once installed, billing and payment is the resident's responsibility. Fermilab is not responsible for the billing and service arrangements the resident makes with the satellite television provider.

Contact the Housing Office, **x3994**, **BEFORE** having any maintenance or servicing done to the satellite dish. Fermilab procedures must be followed when any outside contractor comes on-site to do work.

Upon leaving the laboratory, the resident is responsible for cancelling the satellite television service. The resident may take the receiver box from inside the residence. If the resident wants to keep the satellite dish, contact the Housing Office for its removal. Otherwise, the dish can be left in place (to be removed by Housing at a later date).

#### **PARKING**

All houses, apartments and dormitories have driveways or lots to park your vehicles. **DO NOT** park on any grassy areas. Vehicles parked for an extended time (more than 2 weeks) in the dormitory parking lots, common parking areas, or on the street are subject to towing and removal from the site. If you will be absent from the lab for an extended time, park your vehicle in the long-term parking lot.

Employees or user's who are going out of town on business travel and leaving their vehicles on-site for several days or longer, are asked to park in the long term parking lot in the Fermilab Village. This lot is

the gravel lot located between Shabbona and Blackhawk. The long-term parking lot frees up valuable parking spaces during the day. There are criteria for using the long-term parking lot. The vehicle must be registered and a hangtag displayed. The person responsible for the vehicle can register and get the hangtag at the Communications Center, Wilson Hall ground floor. The owner must be a valid employee or User and be away from the lab on business. The maximum duration of a permit is one year and to renew beyond that requires approval from the Directorate. For more information about the Long Term Parking Program, contact the Communications Center at **x3414**.

Please note that several streets in the Fermilab Village are designated with signs that inform you that parking is not allowed on that street after a 2-inch or greater snowfall. Also, snow will not be plowed in parking areas marked with green cones.

#### **EXTERIOR STORAGE OF PROPERTY or EFFECTS**

Use of exterior storage or moving containers (PODS, ReloCubes, U-Pack containers, U-Haul trailers, etc.) must be authorized by the Housing Office before the container or trailer is placed at any on-site residential building or parking lot. Contact the Housing Office at housing@fnal.gov or **x3994** before arranging the delivery of any container or trailer. The Housing Office must know the type and size, as well as anticipated dates. Any such container or trailer, if approved, can remain on-site no more than 5 days. Excessive materials cannot be stored on a porch or any location visible from outside.

#### INTERIOR STORAGE OF PROPERTY or EFFECTS

Materials stored inside residences cannot block doorways, emergency exits, windows, attics, fire panels, circuit panels, or crawlspace access points. Stored material cannot impede the flow of foot-traffic inside the house, apartment, or dorm room. Material cannot be stored in attic spaces or crawlspaces. Specific areas prohibiting storage of any materials may be designated with markings and/or signage. Excessive materials cannot be stored on a porch or any location visible from outside.

#### **AMENITIES**

Cribs, high chairs, and booster seats are available upon request. If extra blankets or pillows are needed, call x3777.

**Sewing machines, bicycles, and a heavy-duty scale** (for weighing large boxes, luggage, etc.) are also available through the Housing Office.

Carpet and Furniture Cleaning: A resident may request annual carpet and furniture cleaning. If you want an extra cleaning, contact the Housing Office, **x3994**, and they will arrange for a cleaning at your expense.

**Food Service**: Located in Wilson Hall, atrium level. Current hours and menu selections are at <a href="https://fermilabcafe.southernfoodservice.com/WeeklyMenu.aspx">https://fermilabcafe.southernfoodservice.com/WeeklyMenu.aspx</a>.

Computer Capabilities: Walk-up computer stations are available at Aspen East and some other dormitories. The Fermilab network (FGZ) is available using a combination of VDSL and wireless access points at all Village residences. To report service problems, call x2345 or <a href="http://servicedesk.fnal.gov">http://servicedesk.fnal.gov</a>. Do not run computer lines (under carpeting, along walls, etc.) into your room or through a house/apartment – the Housing Office will remove them.

**Handicapped Facilities**: There are facilities that are handicap accessible. If you have special needs please contact the Housing Office.

**Laundry Facilities**: There are coin-operated washing machines and dryers in the Vending Building at 18 Sauk Blvd. There are also washing machines and dryers in the basement of Aspen East and one washer and dryer in the basement of 10 Sauk Circle.

Mail Service: Apartment style mailboxes for each house, apartment, and dorm room are located in the Vending Building at 18 Sauk Blvd. Keys are available at the Fermilab Housing Office (Aspen East.) If the United States Postal Service is used to send mail or packages to a resident onsite, address the mail to Fermilab, P. O. Box 500, your name, and your dorm/room or house/street number, Batavia, IL 60510-5011. If another carrier (UPS, FedEx, etc) is used, address the package to include Fermilab, your name, your dorm/room or house/street number, Batavia, IL 60510-5011. These carriers may not ship to P.O. Boxes.

**Roll-A-Way Beds**: A limited number of roll-a-way beds are available for short periods of time. Please contact the Housing Office for current pricing.

**Taxi Service**: There is a taxi service for on-site travel at no charge. The hours of operation are 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Call **x4225** (HACK) to arrange transportation.

**Users' Center**: The Fermilab Village Users' Center, located at 2 Che Che Pinqua, is open at 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Closing times vary. Refreshments are available in the lounge. Facilities include a game room (billiards, ping-pong), TV room, Music/Meeting Room and Chez Leon Restaurant. Chez Leon is open for Wednesday lunch and some Fridays for dinner. The menu is at <a href="http://fess.fnal.gov/chezleon/index.html">http://fess.fnal.gov/chezleon/index.html</a>. Reservations are required; call **x3524**.

Rooms at the Users' Center may be reserved for Fermilab and/or User events, using the Facilities Request process at <a href="http://ccd.fnal.gov/facilities/disclaimer.html">http://ccd.fnal.gov/facilities/disclaimer.html</a>.

Vending Machines: There are vending machines, mailboxes, and a telephone at 18 Sauk Boulevard. It is open 24 hours a day.

Words of Advice: Village Residents (only) can reserve Kuhn Barn for free via the Housing Office. This is a great option for a birthday party, large get-together, etc. There are tables and chairs inside, lots of atmosphere, refrigerator and coolers.

## 2.2.2 Area Neighborhoods

The Main Gate and Wilson St. (west) exits to the laboratory immediately feed into the city of Batavia, with St. Charles and Geneva in close proximity. The Batavia St. (east) exit to the laboratory feeds directly into the city of Warrenville, with West Chicago and Naperville in close proximity.

The suburbs around Fermilab offer places to go and things to do, if you look for them. Some suggestions are offered below.

The downtown areas of the nearby towns have various shops and restaurants of interest. Geneva has many quaint little shops and restaurants, along State St. and Third St.; Downtown Naperville (Jefferson Street between Washington and Mill) is pleasant, with lots of small shops and old buildings. During the spring and summer, you might want to take advantage of the parks and bike paths in the area. Batavia, Geneva, and St. Charles have parks and bike paths along both sides of the Fox River, which connect with the bike paths at Fermilab.

The closest neighborhoods to Fermilab are:

- Batavia <a href="http://www.cityofbatavia.net">http://www.cityofbatavia.net</a>
- Aurora <a href="http://www.aurora-il.org/">http://www.aurora-il.org/</a>
- Naperville <a href="http://www.naperville.il.us">http://www.naperville.il.us</a> and <a href="http://www.naperville.il
- St. Charles <a href="http://www.ci.st-charles.il.us">http://www.ci.st-charles.il.us</a>
- Warrenville <a href="http://www.warrenville.il.us">http://www.warrenville.il.us</a>
- Geneva <a href="http://www.geneva.il.us">http://www.geneva.il.us</a>
- Wheaton http://www.wheaton.il.us

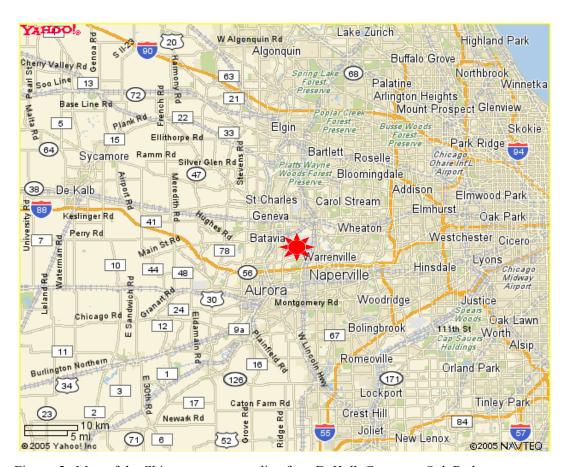


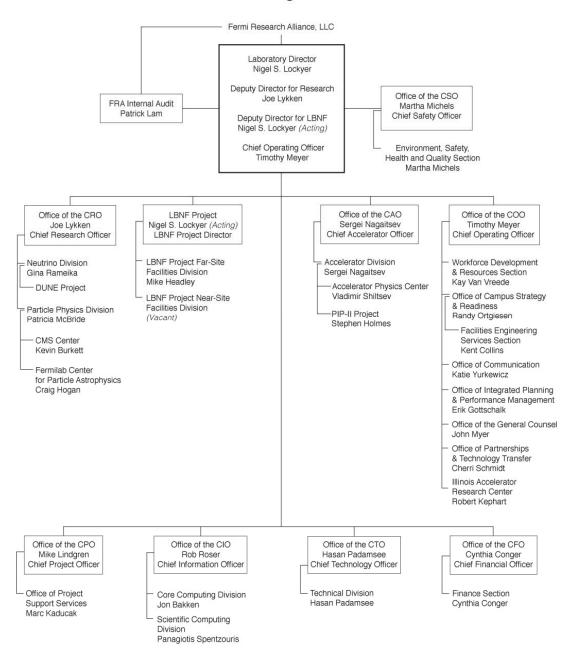
Figure 2: Map of the Chicago area extending from DeKalb County to Oak Park.

## 2.3 What Work is Done Here?

Details about the research that is performed at and supported by Fermilab can be found at: <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/faw/fermilab">http://www.fnal.gov/faw/fermilab</a> at work.html#faw-experiments-and-projects

## Fermilab Organizational Chart

## **Fermilab Organization**



# 3. Once You Arrive at Fermilab: Part 2- Getting You (and Your Family) Settled

## 3.1 Fermilab Security (x3414)

## **SECURITY REGULATIONS**

On January 24, 2005, the Department of Energy approved changes to the Fermilab Security Plan. These changes eased some of the site access restrictions that had been in place since 9/11.

A central corridor of public areas currently enables the public to visit much of the Fermilab site without the need for visitors' passes. The public areas include most of the recreational features of the site. A map showing the public areas is available online (http://www.fnal.gov/pub/visiting/map/site.html).

Visitors are able to enter the Fermilab site by car through the Batavia Road and Pine Street entrances. After presenting identification, most visitors will simply pass through the security checkpoint after telling the security officer the purpose for their visits. Roadways that are off limits to visiting members of the public are posted with signs, and motorists will be given site maps to guide them to the public areas.

The public areas will be open to the visiting public from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. from mid-October to mid-April and from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. when daylight hours are longer. The public areas extend into the Lederman Education Center and to the ground floor and atrium of Wilson Hall, and Ramsey Auditorium. Signs tell visitors which areas of Wilson Hall are open to the public.

The Fermilab Security Plan identifies certain workspaces as "Property Protection Areas". Valid Fermilab ID badges are required for entry into these areas. If a visitor needs to enter a Property Protection Area in order to conduct business at the lab or to meet with someone who works at the lab, he or she must obtain a temporary visitor's pass and wear it while inside the Property Protection Area. These spaces include DØ, the Main Control Room and the associated computing space, parts of Feynman Computing Center, the Central Utility Building, the Central Helium Liquefier, the Master Substation, the Kautz Road Substation, and the Grid Computing Center (GCC).

The Batavia Gate on Batavia Avenue closes daily at 12:30 a.m. and reopens at 6:00 a.m. The Wilson St. Gate closes at 4:30 p.m. daily and reopens at 6:00 a.m.

Those who visit or work in Property Protection Areas will be required to wear Fermilab ID badges or visitors' passes. People will not need to wear ID badges or visitors' passes elsewhere on the site so long as the present threat level (yellow) remains in effect. However, everyone on the Fermilab site must produce valid identification if requested by a security officer.

Security officers will remain at the East and West gates. When entering the site you should be prepared to stop and show your Fermilab ID badge so the security officer will know you are authorized to enter.

For more information, call the Fermilab Office of Communication at 630-840-8780.

Words of Advice: If you have family or friends that will come on-site-regularly to visit, you may want to call/email Housing and have your 'periodic'/frequent guests listed on the housing occupancy report before calling security. Then on the day they will visit (esp. if arriving after hours -8 p.m. in winter, 6 p.m. the rest of the year) call security to let them know what time to expect the guest. Also, when expecting food delivery (off hours) you should also call security and let them know the restaurant, which gate, and the approximate time of the delivery. This can also work for other 'perishable' deliveries of fresh flowers or groceries which can be brought to your home.











# **3.2 Establishing Your Identity** (if you are the employed person vs. if you are a companion; US domestic vs. International)

## 3.2.1 Obtaining a Fermilab ID badge

## Before you arrive at Fermilab:

Computing Privileges and Visitor ID Number – If you do not already have a Kerberos account, request Fermilab Computing Privileges. This results in the issuance of a Visitor ID Number to you. Complete your Safety and Training requirements.

Medical Insurance – Obtain evidence of medical insurance (See next sub-section for minimal requirement that DOE imposes for medical insurance.)

Apply for a Visitor ID Badge – Complete the Application for Fermilab Visitor ID Badge. The experiment spokesperson does not need to sign Section 4 of the Application if step 1 from above is completed. If you are a foreign national, you will need the appropriate U.S. visa or be able to enter the U.S. under the Visa Waiver Program. Please note that we cannot issue a Fermilab Visitor ID Badge to you if you hold tourist status (if B-2, VT, or VWT is marked on your I-94 Arrival Card). If entering as a Business Visitor, you must have B-1 marked on your I-94 Card. If entering under the Visa Waiver Program, you must have VB or VWB marked on your I-94 Card, to denote that you are permitted to engage in business activities.

#### When you arrive at Fermilab:

Apply in person at the Users' Office for the ID Badge. During the application, you must present the completed application form and evidence of medical insurance mentioned above, each time you apply for an ID Badge (regardless of whether it is your first or fiftieth ID Badge).

U.S. Citizens must bring photo ID on your first visit to the Users' Office. Foreign nationals must bring their valid, unexpired foreign passport, I-94 card, and any other documentation associated with your visit to the U.S., such as your visa, I-20, DS-2019, EAD (Employment Authorization Document), I-797, Approval Notice, or LPR card, as appropriate. Completion of the steps above before your arrival at the Users' Office will greatly reduce the time involved in processing and issuing your first ID badge (reducing the time involved from 2-3 hours to roughly 5 minutes). This will get you out into the Lab and working much faster.

## Renewal of Fermilab ID Badge

To renew your ID Badge, you must be physically present on-site at Fermilab.

Renew your Fermilab Computing Privileges online, if your computing privileges also will expire. Go to the appropriate experiment site and follow the directions there to renew your account.

Obtain evidence of medical insurance

Apply in person at the Users' Office to renew your ID Badge. You must present evidence of medical insurance mentioned above, along with the same kinds of documents as you presented during your original arrival, each time you apply for an ID Badge (regardless of whether it is your first or fiftieth ID Badge). U.S. Citizens must bring photo ID, and Foreign nationals must bring their valid, unexpired foreign passport, I-94 card, and any other documentation associated with your visit to the U.S., such as

your visa, I-20, DS-2019, EAD (Employment Authorization Document), I-797 Approval Notice, or LPR card, as appropriate.

## Fermilab ID Badges

Scientists and professionals from other institutions who need to access the Fermilab Site must have valid and unexpired ID badges. On-site privileges are not the same as computing privileges. A User who needs only computing privileges need not apply for an ID Badge, but need merely obtain a Visitor ID number. Please see our information on Fermilab Computing Privileges (http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/comp\_priv.html).

	U.S. Citizen	Non U.S. Citizen
PhD	3 years	1 year* maximum
Engineer	3 years	1 year* maximum
Technician	3 years	1 year* maximum
Post-Doctorate, Graduate or Under- Graduate student	1 year	1 year* maximum

Within the maximums listed above, the validity of the ID Badge cannot exceed the shortest of:

- Your U.S. medical insurance coverage,
- Your need to be present at the Fermilab site,
- The period of time you may legally stay in the U.S. (the "authorized stay"), as shown on the I-94 Arrival Departure Card issued to you at the airport, during arrival, or
- In certain circumstances, the validity of your passport (U.S. citizens and green card holders are not subject to this requirement).

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) requires that Fermilab collect certain information and documents from all ID badge applicants, including all Users. The DOE also requires that we track the immigration status of all non-U.S. citizen Users. Foreign users must advise the Users' Office of changes in visa status, such as the issuances of new visas, extensions of status, or changes from one type of visa to another.

The DOE requires that all users and visitors to Fermilab present information and/or documentation relating to identity and/or citizenship status. The provision of the requested information/documents is voluntary; however, failure to comply may result in denial of an ID badge. Information/documentation provided by non-US citizens is entered into a DOE database. All Users' Office files, including any information and copies of any documentation provided during an ID badge application, may be reviewed by DOE and other federal agencies at any time, without notice or any other explicit permission.

While the ID Badge can be issued only once you have physically arrived at Fermilab, there are many steps that you should complete before you arrive here that will speed the process of being issued a badge.

For details or further information visit the Users' Office website: (http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/badges\_faq.html)

## 3.3 Computers, Internet Access, and Email Accounts

## 3.3.1 Computing Accounts

You are also likely to need a computing account at Fermilab. The Computing Division (<a href="http://computing.fnal.gov/cd/">http://computing.fnal.gov/cd/</a>) has a web page where you can find information on setting up an account, services available, etc.

(https://fermi.servicenow.com/kb view customer.do?sysparm article=KB0011000)

One of the default mailing accounts is an account for final.gov. This machine is a mail server that allows you to set the forwarding address on the mail that is sent to your user name@final.gov.

The Computing Division offers help and instructions on how to:

- Setup your email accounts
- The Fermilab Mail Server: fnal.gov (Your permanent email address at Fermilab)
- Mailing Lists and LISTSERV
- Mail Server Protocols: IMAP and POP
- Email on UNIX/LINUX
- Email on Windows
- Additional Email Resources

If you have a question or any kind of computer problem you can email via <a href="https://fermi.service-now.com/fsc/">https://fermi.service-now.com/fsc/</a> or call x2345.

## 3.3.2 Computers

You are also likely to need a computer account at Fermilab. The Computing Division (<a href="http://computing.fnal.gov/">http://computing.fnal.gov/</a>) has a web page where you can find form requests (<a href="http://computing.fnal.gov/forms">http://computing.fnal.gov/forms</a>) for a large variety of computer accounts and more. Please read the information at the top which contains important information for new Users.

If you have a question about email, accounts, or any kind of computer problem you should contact the Service Desk at (<a href="http://servicedesk.fnal.gov/">http://servicedesk.fnal.gov/</a>) or call x2345. The Service Desk is located on the ground floor (basement) of Wilson Hall across from the Abri Credit Union. Walk-ups are also welcome.

## 3.3.3 Internet Access

You can connect to the wifi network with SSID "fgz" or "guest". Follow the instructions in the pop-up window after the connection is established.

Words of Advice: If you live in The Fermilab Village, take the time and work with the Housing Office to make sure your home or dorm is connected. The Fermilab Village sometimes loses its internet connection during storms, etc. so be sure to back up and save your work often. Also, you might need to disconnect and connect again on your individual computer (fgz connection) during the course of a day's project—stay calm it usually can be connected without too much delay.

## 3.3.4 The Office for Professional Organization Development

The Office for Professional & Organization Development is a resource of continuous learning for all Fermilab employees and visitors. The Office provides classes in management, professional development, computer programming/software, and technical topics. Classes are paid for by the individual, the home university or the home institution. Visit the Office for Professional & Organization Development's website (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/index.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/index.html</a>) for a full listing of current classes.

## 3.3.5 The Computing Division and C++ Classes:

As a service to the HEP computing community, the Computing Division offers courses in C++ programming. "Accelerated C++: A Short Course in Practical Programming by Example" is a series of lectures aimed at programmers who are new to C++. This Short Course is supplemented from time to time by special topics at intermediate and advanced levels. There is no fee for any of these offerings; the required texts are available for checkout from the Fermilab Library. Additional offerings are under active consideration and may become available in the near future.

ITNA & TRAIN ITNA and TRAIN work hand-in-hand to manage Environment, Safety and Health (ES&H) training requirements for Fermilab employees, Users, visitors and sub-con-tractors. ITNA, or Individual Training Needs Assessment, is a questionnaire completed by your supervisor that determines your training requirements. The ITNA is completed by a person's supervisor or Fermilab point of contact because they are familiar with the employee/visitor's job duties including the associated ES&H hazards. ITNAs should be updated at least once a year, or more frequently as job hazards change. TRAIN is the system that everyone can use to manage their personal ES&H training requirements. The Individual Training Plan (ITP) is generated as a result of the ITNA process. The ITP summarizes your training needs in a table. The ITP lists needed courses by name and course code, shows the training completion date, and the due date. As the due date draws near, TRAIN will send reminders to enroll in the course that is about to expire.

- Two Power Point slideshows are available to view in DocDB, Document 838: https://esh-docdb.fnal.gov:440/cgi-bin/ShowDocument?docid=838
- ITNA (halfway down, left column): http://www-esh.fnal.gov/owa\_user/esh\_home\_page.page?this\_page=16707
- TTP: http://www-esh.fnal.gov/pls/default/itp.html

## 3.4 Getting a Bank Account

If you are planning to be here for an extended period of time, you might consider opening up a bank account in the area.

U.S. Banks generally require a U.S. Social Security Number (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/soc\_sec.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/soc\_sec.html</a>) to open accounts for individuals. Fermilab knows of three local banks that will open accounts for non-U.S. citizens lacking Social Security Numbers. Each of these banks are a short drive from Fermilab (Fermilab has no bus service).

Chase Bank (<a href="http://www.chase.com">http://www.chase.com</a>)

Warrenville 29 W 555 Batavia Road, Warrenville, IL 60555

Batavia 130 S Batavia Avenue Batavia, IL 60510 5 N Randall Road, Batavia, IL 60510

MB Financial Bank (www.mbfinancial.com)

St. Charles 2607 Lincoln Highway, St. Charles, IL 60175

Naperville 380 W. Diehl Road, Naperville, IL 60563

Aurora 2992 Indian Trail Road, Aurora, IL 60504

US Bank (<a href="http://www.usbank.com">http://www.usbank.com</a>)

Geneva 808 W State Street, Geneva, IL 60134

St. Charles 855 S Randall Road, Saint Charles, IL 60174 Words of Advice: Both the employed person and their spouse should set up a joint bank account (both names on the accounts.) The hardcopy statements you get regularly from the bank can serve as proof of identity and address in many instances. Consider setting up a checking account along with the savings account. Even if you don't use checks often, the checks with both names and the full Fermilab address e.g., John and Maria Smith, Fermilab 8 Shabbona St., Batavia, IL 60510, also serve as proof of identity and address.

Abri Credit Union (<a href="http://www.abricu.com">http://www.abricu.com</a>)

Abri Credit Union, PO Box 500, MS #224, Batavia, IL 60510, 815-267-7700, Wilson Hall Ground Floor, Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. -5 p.m., (http://www.abricu.com/home/branches/hours - fermilab)

Other banks operating in the area are listed below.

West Suburban Bank (<u>www.westsuburbanbank.com</u>) 3s041 State Rt. 59. Warrenville, 630-393-6060.

Citibank (<u>www.citibank.com</u>) 2819 Aurora Rd. Naperville. 630-527-2120

## 3.5 Getting Your Driver's License (and Parking Regulations)

## **OFF-SITE TRANSPORTATION**

There is no direct public transportation to or from Fermilab, so access to a car is highly recommended whether you live on or off site. For short stays, you can rent a car through the Users' Office (x3111). Call for up-to-date rates. The rental firm is based at Fermilab so the cars cannot be dropped off at the airport. The Travel Office can also arrange transport to O'Hare International Airport for around \$30-40 (one-way), but reservations must be made in advance.

**PACE** is the greater area's bus system. There are many routes (<a href="http://www.pacebus.com">http://www.pacebus.com</a>) but these especially operate in the cities around Fermilab: Route 529 and Route 802 (Batavia) and Routes 521, 524, 528, 530, and 532 (Aurora.)

METRA: Aurora, Naperville, Route 59, West Chicago, and Geneva have METRA train stations (http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/maps\_schedules/find\_my\_metra\_station\_results.html?stationSearch-address=60510&stationSearch-distance=10&stationSearch-submit.x=22&stationSearch-submit.y=10). The 495-mile Metra system serves 241 stations in the counties of Cook, DuPage, Lake, Will, McHenry and Kane. On Metra you can reach Chicago's beautiful lakefront, museums, zoos, sporting events, shops and restaurants, concerts, special events, schools and colleges as well as quaint, historic suburbs and small towns. In some cases, Metra can take you practically to the front door. In other cases, your destination can be easily reached via connecting Pace buses and/or CTA buses and trains. On weekends and holidays, Family Fares allow kids 11 and under to ride free when accompanied by a fare-paying adult. Get a group of 25 or more together and save on a special outing. Call 312-322-6772 for details.

## **ON-SITE TRANSPORTATION**

For on-site transportation, the **free Fermilab taxi** is available from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays. To call the taxi, dial x4225 (HACK) on-site.

The Housing Office has about 15 bicycles available. A \$25 refundable deposit is required. Contact Housing is you'd like to use one of them.

You can also rent a bicycle for local travel, but the cost for a week's rental is about what you would pay for a used bicycle. You can find a used bicycle by looking in classified ads of the local newspapers, or at some of these places:

- Play It Again Sports
  - St. Charles 630-584-7334, 1501 W. Main St., St. Charles. Sometimes have used bikes for sale. Naperville 630-355-1121, 971 West 75<sup>th</sup> St. Suite 185, Naperville. Sometimes have used bikes for sale.
- Performance Bike Shop
   Naperville 630-983-3010, Rt. 59 and Aurora Ave, Naperville. New bikes and bike equipment.
- Bevie's Bikes, Batavia 630-879-5926, 408 E. Fabyan Pkwy., Batavia. Used Bikes. Sales & Repairs.

## **BUYING A CAR**

For a used car in good condition, you should expect to pay perhaps \$1,500 to \$2,000. However, neither individuals nor dealers expect to receive their asking price for a used car, and frequently will ask for much more than a car is worth.

The Abri Credit Union, located on the west side ground floor of Wilson Hall, has information on the average wholesale price and retail price for various makes and models of cars. You should expect to pay somewhere between the wholesale and retail price.

For federal contractors, Government Vehicles may be available from the General Services Administration, Chicago Fleet Management Center, 4100 West 76th Street, Chicago, IL 60652. Cars must be picked up and returned to the Chicago street address. Requests for these vehicles must be made prior to pick-up, via the User's home institution.

Any User who needs to use a government vehicle while working at Fermilab must make arrangements with the home institution to obtain a valid U.S. Government Motor Vehicle Operator's Identification Card (Form 346) and the authorization to use governmental vehicles prior to arriving at Fermilab. Vehicles, when available, may be assigned from the department office to drivers holding a valid state license.

#### DRIVER'S LICENSE AND REGISTRATION

To receive an Illinois driver's license you must provide a minimum of three forms of identification. You must prove name, date of birth, Illinois residence, Social Security Number, and signature for comparison. For preparation, you can pick up a copy of the Illinois "Rules of the Road" booklet at the Users' Office (in English, Polish, and Spanish). Technically, if you live in Illinois for over 90 days, you must get an Illinois driver's license (as opposed to a foreign or out-of-state license). The Housing Office can also issue you a "Proof of Residency" document which may be very helpful.

You can obtain a driver's license at the Illinois Secretary of State office, at 339 East Indian Trail Road in Aurora (630-896-1911). Go south on Kirk Road and turn right onto Indian Trail Rd - the offices will be on your left.

The state of Illinois has a mandatory insurance law that requires drivers to have liability insurance on their personal vehicles (which pays for damage that you might cause to other persons or their property). You must arrange for insurance through a private company, which satisfies the legal requirements. You can reach Geico General Insurance Company by calling 800-841-3000 toll-free or any number of other insurance companies by looking in the yellow pages.

Words of Advice: International citizens who are spouses should consult with the VISA Office to confirm which documents they might need to prove identity in trying to secure a temporary driver's license.

#### **PARKING**

Parking is available on the East and West side of Wilson Hall and at the Lederman Science Center. Most of the parking in these areas is open to all employees and their visitors. However, employees and their visitors must obey all posted signs and must avoid parking in areas that require special permits. Handicapped parking is available on both sides of Wilson Hall. Bicycle and motorcycle parking is available on the East side of the building.

All other buildings at the laboratory also have parking lots.

During orientation you'll need to get a parking permit for your car.

## 3.6 Coming with Your Children: Education and Recreation

The Recreation Office offers programs for dependents. For an updated list visit: <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/index.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/index.html</a>

## 3.6.1 Children's Center

A day care facility, The Children's Center, is available at Fermilab, but there is a waiting list, so you should sign up as soon as possible. The day care facility is flexible about the number of days and hours the child attends each week and charges accordingly. For more information and current rates, contact the Children's Center Manager at **x3762**.

The Children's Center is sponsored by Fermi Research Alliance, the operating contractor of Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory. It is a service available to all FRA and DOE employees, Users, and long-term on-site subcontractors. The Children's Center opened January 2, 1980, for children age 2 ½ to 7 years. Since then an Infant/Toddler program has been added that provides care for children age 6 weeks to 2 years. The mission of The Children's Center is to serve the diverse needs of the Fermilab community, which includes employees, Users, contractors, and their children. The Children's Center works to promote social, academic, emotional, and physical development of each child while taking into account his/her level of interest and ability.

Please see the following website for full details on admission guidelines, timetables, and current rates for admission into the Children's Center: <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/handbook.html#mission">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/handbook.html#mission</a>

You can also call or email the Children's Center at: x3762 or e-mail daycare@fnal.gov.

## 3.6.2 Children's Summer Day Camp

Fermilab sponsors ten, one-week, supervised Day Camp sessions to children of employees, Users, visitors and Fermilab contractors (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/2015DaycampBooklet.pdf">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/childrens/2015DaycampBooklet.pdf</a>). The program consists of arts and crafts, sports, field trips, films swimming, etc. The program is held in the lower level of Kuhn Barn in The Fermilab Village, Monday through Friday. For more information contact: Patti Hedrick, x3762.

## 3.6.3 Playgroup

Under the supervision of NALWO, Fermilab also has a cooperative playgroup that has been meeting Wednesday afternoons. Educational and fun activities that seek to encourage cooperative play, appreciation for children from culturally diverse communities, and better understanding of cultural traditions are but a few of the playgroup's goals. For more information, please contact NALWO directly at: nalwo@fnal.gov.

## 3.6.4 Fermilab Village Families' Facebook Page: "Fermilab Village Families"

Search for it by name and request to be added. This group is for anyone who is currently or has recently lived in the Fermilab Village or is associated with the Fermilab Playgroup, Fermilab families, etc. Fermilab village residents or visitors who want to connect, share resources, meet together, support each other, and build community are invited to this group.

Please refer to Section 4.2 for more details on recreational activities available here.

## 3.6.5 Education

The educational system in the US is divided into public and private. All public pre-schools, elementary schools, middle school/junior high school, and high schools correlate to particular districts/residential neighborhoods. Private schools have a fee and are often (though not always) affiliated with a particular religious tradition. Public and private colleges and universities have individual admission requirements, missions and visions for their students. In the Midwest, elementary schools generally include Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade (K-5); middle schools include grades 6 through 8, and high schools are grades 9-12.

Batavia is served by Batavia Public School District No. 101. The district currently consists of six elementary schools, one middle school and Batavia High School. Small pockets of the city are served by Geneva Community Unit School District 304 and West Aurora Public School District 129.

Warrenville is a part of Community Unit School District 200

(<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Community\_Unit\_School\_District\_200">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Community\_Unit\_School\_District\_200</a>), and shares 20 schools with Wheaton (<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wheaton\_Illinois">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wheaton\_Illinois</a>). Residents of Warrenville attend Bower or Johnson elementary school, Hubble Middle School

(http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hubble\_Middle\_School), St. Irene Catholic School (grades K-8, http://www.st-ireneschool.org), and Wheaton Warrenville South High School (located in Wheaton, http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wheaton\_Warrenville\_South\_High\_School)

Geneva School District 304 includes the following schools: Harrison Street Elementary School, Williamsburg Elementary School, Heartland Elementary School, Mill Creek Elementary School, Fabyan Elementary School, Western Avenue Elementary School, Geneva Middle School South, Geneva Middle School North and Geneva High School

(http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geneva High School %28Illinois%29).

St. Charles is part of the Community Unit School District 303

(http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Community\_Unit\_School\_District\_303), which currently has twelve elementary schools (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Primary\_education): Anderson, Bell-Graham, Corron, Davis, Ferson Creek, Fox Ridge, Lincoln, Munhall, Norton Creek, Wasco, and Wild Rose. three middle schools (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Middle\_school): Haines

(http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Haines Middle School&action=edit&redlink=1), Thompson

(http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Thompson\_Middle\_School\_%28Illinois%29&action=edit&red\_link=1) and Wredling; and two high schools (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/High\_school): St. Charles East (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St. Charles East), and St. Charles North.

Aurora has a very large public school system with three districts (Aurora Public Schools: West Side (District 129), Aurora Public Schools: East Side (District 131) and the Indian Prairie School District (IPSD) 204). Forty-six public schools fall within the city limits of Aurora (seventeen in District #131, thirteen in District #129, eleven in District #204, four in Oswego District #308, and the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy).

## PUBLIC PRE-SCHOOLS/ ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

The elementary school age children on-site attend the Arvilla Currier School at 800 Gary's Mill Rd., West Chicago, IL, phone number 630-293-6600, http://currier.wego33.org/.

Currier School serves families who reside in West Chicago as well as sections of Winfield, Wheaton, Warrenville, and Batavia.

"Currier School is one of six elementary schools in West Chicago District #33; it opened in September of 1994. The School is named after Arvilla Currier who played an important role in education in the early days of West Chicago. She was born in 1833 in New Hampshire, but moved to Junction (West Chicago) as a child. In the mid-nineteenth century it was unusual for a woman to seek a higher education and work outside the home. However, Arvilla did pursue a college education and in 1854 began teaching at Gary's Mill School which was located near our school. After she married she was no longer allowed to teach so instead she tutored children in her neighborhood.

It is the mission of Currier Elementary School to utilize a comprehensive curriculum which will enable all students to become life-long learners and responsible, cooperative citizens who appreciate diversity. Currently (2015), we have an enrollment of approximately 497 students in kindergarten through sixth grade. Currier serves a diverse group of students who come from many different countries. We offer a bilingual program for students who speak Spanish and an English as a Second Language program for students who speak Spanish and other languages.

The West Chicago School District is inclusive for students with special education needs. Students receive services within their regular classrooms and are educated with age-appropriate peers. District 33 also provides a differentiated curriculum for gifted students."

Please note that this and all schools will need proof of residence to register. If you live on the Fermilab site be sure to take along a letter from housing declaring that you are living on-site (a copy of your housing contract). In addition, take any records from previous schools (e.g. immunizations) and a birth certificate or a passport for the child.

Children of families living in the cities and towns around Fermilab must attend the school in whose district they live.

## TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/policy/trpolicy.html)

This Policy is not a contract and is not intended to create any obligations on the Laboratory. This Policy may be terminated or changed by the Laboratory at any time, with or without notice.

Fermilab supports the continuous development of employees through the tuition assistance (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/glossary.html#tuition">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/glossary.html#tuition</a>) program. The program allows employees to enroll in

accredited degree programs or credit hour courses at universities and colleges and receive financial assistance for tuition, required fees, and books. The educational programs selected should assist employees in their ongoing learning and career development at Fermilab. Participation in the tuition assistance program must be approved by the employee's supervisor or department manager.

## **Eligibility**

All regular, full-time employees and part-time employees

(http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/glossary.html#parttime) who work a minimum of 20 hours a week are eligible for tuition advances. New employees who are in the initial six-month hire period may enroll in courses on a reimbursement basis. However, new employees must complete the initial six-month hire period and submit an approved tuition assistance request form prior to enrolling in any course or degree program. Scientific terms (Assoc. Scientists/Research Assoc.) are eligible for course work for subjects that are pertinent to current assignment. The following are not eligible:

- Guest Scientist
- Terms
- Temporaries
- Part-time
- Summer
- Day Workers

Students in the cooperative education program (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/glossary.html#coop">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/glossary.html#coop</a>) are also eligible, but they may only receive reimbursements, not advances (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/policy/trpolicy">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/policy/trpolicy</a> coop.html).

## 3.6.6 Fun Places to Go with Kids

#### **BROOKFIELD ZOO**

First Avenue between Ogden Avenue and 31st Street in Brookfield <a href="http://www.czs.org/Brookfield-ZOO/membership.aspx">http://www.czs.org/Brookfield-ZOO/membership.aspx</a>

Part of the Chicago Zoological Society, very active zoo with many special attractions and events. Yearly family membership ranges from \$105 for the basic plan to \$195 for unlimited access to all attractions and events plus parking for the whole family. (Well worth getting at least the very basic yearly membership.)

## **BLACKBERRY FARM**

100 S. Barnes Road, Aurora, 630-892-1550

http://www.foxvalleyparkdistrict.org/facilities/blackberry-farm/

Part of the Fox Valley Park District, Blackberry Farm is a living history museum where pioneer life is recreated through educational demonstrations and hands-on fun. Admission to Blackberry Farm includes unlimited rides on the train, hay wagon, pedal tractors, paddle boats, carousel and ponies.

- Adventure Playground: An extensive network of climbing decks, slides, ropes and catwalk-style bridges connecting an array of playhouses on multiple levels with zip line
- Discovery Barn: See chickens, sheep, piglets, baby goats and morePioneer Cabin (1840s): Dutch oven cooking, candle dipping, soap making, heirloom gardens, butter making
- Wagner House (1840s): Post-and-beam constructed home from early downtown Aurora

- Pottery Shop (1850s): Visit P.H. Smith's Shop and experience many facets of 19th century pottery making–fired on-site
- Blacksmith Shop (1900s): Watch the blacksmith at work on our forge
- Weaver's Cabin (1860s): Busy spinners card and spin wool and flax while weavers weave rugs and textiles on our antique looms
- One-Room Schoolhouse (1880s): See what learning was like for children in the classroom
- Huntoon House (1890s): Victorian room settings, treadle sewing, quilting, demonstrations and exhibits
- Early Streets Museum: Features 12 old-fashioned shops
- Carriage House: Offers horse-drawn vehicles
- Picnic Areas: Several public picnic areas are available throughout the park
- Summer Kitchen (http://www.foxvalleyparkdistrict.org/?s=Summer+Kitchen

Non-resident season pass for a family of 4 is \$140. Daily rate is adults \$5, children over 2 \$4.50, under free.

## **MORTON ARBORETUM**

4100 Illinois Route 53 in Lisle, IL, 630-968-0074

http://www.mortonarb.org/learn-experience/kid-and-family-programs

Sprawling, gorgeous nature preserve with large children's nature area.

Family membership is \$130 including parking.

Daily rate is December through March AND every Wednesday

\$9 Adults ages 18-64

\$8 Seniors ages 65+

\$6 Youth ages 2–17

April through November

\$14 Adults ages 18–64

\$12 Seniors ages 65+

\$9 Youth ages 2–17

Children 1 and younger are free

Admission includes FREE parking!

## KIDSTOWN PLAY AND PARTY

1141 E Butterfield Rd I Wheaton, 630-260-8545

http://www.kidstownplayandparty.com/OpenPlay.html,

Large indoor play area set up likes a small town. Has baby area and parent wait area (with internet access). Cost is \$12 for all day play.

## **PRAIRIE GYMNASTICS CLUB**

1241 N. Raddant Batavia, 630-406-6803

http://www.prairiegym.com/

Kids open gym time, classes available for pre-school, cost for 45-60 minute class is \$13.

## BALL FACTORY INDOOR PLAY AND CAFÉ

864 S Rt. 59, Naperville, IL 60540

http://www.ballfactoryfun.com/

Large, fun indoor play area. Tickets for preschooler \$10 average.

## **AIRTASTIC PLAYLAND**

850 S. Frontenac Street Aurora, 630-851-7525

http://www.airtastic.com/

Airtastic Play Land offers a unique play experience with ten (10) gigantic inflatable play structures and two (2) age appropriate play areas which allows children of all ages to have an enjoyable play experience indoors. Cost is \$8.50 per hour.

## **XTREME TRAMPOLINES**

485 Mission St, Carol Stream, 630-752-1400

http://cst.rockinjump.com/

For larger athletic kids, indoor trampoline area. Cost is \$8 for 30 minutes of jump. (Some mixed reviews)

## **DUPAGE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM**

Temporarily located at 195 Fox Valley Center 195 Fox Valley Center, Aurora. Hands-on, especially good for younger children.

## 3.7 Coming with Your Pets

Pets are allowed in houses and most apartments (not in the dormitories or in the Neuqua apartments) under the following conditions:

- 1. You must register your pet with the Housing Office and sign a document that states that you will be responsible for keeping your animal under control at all times.
- 2. If your pet is a dog or cat, you must have in your possession a valid pet license and a recent Rabies Vaccination Certificate.
- 3. You are responsible for picking up and properly disposing of all animal waste both inside and outside

If you are arriving at Fermilab looking for a home to live in with your pet but need to spend some time at The Fermilab Village dorms while you find it, you may need to find a short term housing for your pet. There are several places offering boarding for pets around the lab, but not all of them offer service for all pets. Some of them may require that you supply them with the food for your pet and will have vaccination requirements as well. Here we list a few that are closest to the site:

- Country Pet Retreat: 630-393-9390. 29w421 Butterfield Rd, Warrenville, 2.80 mi. Cats and dogs only.
- Brushbow Boarding Kennels 630-231-4418. 0s639 Prince Crossing Rd, West Chicago, 3.17 mi.
- Crate Escape Incorporated: 630-579-1220. 500 Industrial Dr # 559, Naperville, 4.16 mi. Dogs only.
- Ruffner's Doggie Day Care: 630-232-9193. 345 Stevens St, Geneva, IL 5.28 mi. Dogs only
- Apolda Kennels: 630-898-2947. 2380 E New York St, Aurora, IL 5.34 mi. Cats, dogs, rabbits, etc.
- Boulder Terrace Animal Hospital: 630-420-9155. 1586 W Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 5.66 mi. Cats and dogs only

# 3.8 Mail (United States Postal Service, Fedex, UPS, and Overseas Packages)

Apartment style mailboxes for each house, apartment, and dorm room are located in the Vending Building at 18 Sauk Blvd. Keys are available at the Housing Office (Aspen East) and given to you with the housing key.

If the United States Postal Service is used to send mail or packages to a resident onsite, address the mail to Fermilab, P. O. Box 500, your name, your dorm/room or house/street number, Batavia, IL 60510-5011.

Words of Advice: You need to be careful how you address all packages for USPS, UPS or Fedex or for ordering anything online. Use only three lines with your full name on the first line; Fermilab Kirk Rd. and Pine St. with your house address on the second with no commas (e.g., Fermilab Kirk Rd. and Pine St. #5 Sauk Circle); Batavia, IL 60510-5011 on the third.

Words of Advice: Make sure to get a tracking number for all packages. You might need to call the Mailroom and ask them for help in confirming that the package has arrived and they in turn, will need the tracking number. All packages will take an extra day to be delivered inside Fermilab. They will arrive in receiving and your tracking number will say, "delivered." After the normal Fermilab security procedure, the package will usually take another day to be sent to your Mail Station or Aspen East. Aspen East will then send you an email saying a package for you has been delivered to Aspen and is waiting for you to pick up.

The nearest USPS office is in Warrenville. (Go out Batavia exit, straight through light at the intersection of Rt. 59. USPS is on your right. They have a mail drop box in the parking lot.)

## 3.9 Medical Services (and Health Insurance)

## 3.9.1 Medical Insurance for Users/Visitors

http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/med insurance.html

## **INSURANCE OPTIONS FOR USERS**

All Users of Fermilab facilities and labs must arrange for their own medical insurance. If you hold J-1 status, you must comply with the requirements imposed by the U.S. Department of State – see <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/visas/required\_medical.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/visas/required\_medical.html</a> for information specific to you. All other users of Fermilab may follow the guidelines below.

In some cases, the medical coverage you already have in your home country might be sufficient. You must confirm that it covers you for incidents *in* the United States. If so, you may present a copy of the medical insurance to the Users' Office when applying for your Fermilab Visitor ID Badge, provided the certificate of insurance is in English. If not, you must provide a Medical Insurance Attestation.

U.S. insurance companies sell medical insurance to non-US citizen visitors in the U.S. There are two types of such medical insurance: (1) temporary insurance, which is also called travel insurance, and "full coverage" insurance, which is more comparable to that received by Fermilab employees. See the chart below for explanations and links to several insurance providers.

U.S. medical insurance is very different from that offered anywhere else in the world. An explanation of *temporary* U.S. insurance plans follows on the next pages

Words of Advice: Always carry your health insurance card on you. It's the first thing any doctor or hospital will ask for and it dictates many details on what's covered financially or not. At each doctor visit, double check that they have the right insurance information for you and that the home address and phone numbers are correct. Making sure each time (although it seems a little crazy to keep checking it) helps avoid time consuming phone calls if a bill comes in later and it is telling you to pay an amount that is different from what you expected to pay.

#### **Temporary Insurance Plans**

Low cost Intended for shorter coverage periods Not intended for maintaining wellness – intended only to treat serious illness or injury No dental or vision coverage Excludes coverage for "pre-existing conditions" –

U.S., or that is *related* to an injury or illness that occurred before arrival here If the dates of your visit might change, check the

any illness or injury that occurs before arrival in the

company's policy for renewals or extensions of insurance before you buy!

#### "Full Coverage" Insurance Plans

Offers wellness care as well as emergency treatment Optional dental or vision riders in some cases Fewer "excluded" pre-existing conditions.

#### Gateway USA

Gateway offers several temporary insurance plans. including "Gateway USA," which is temporary medical insurance for a minimum of 15 days to a maximum of 36 months. This is primarily emergency care for illness or injury – NOT wellness care. Dental and vision coverage is not included. "Pre-existing conditions" are excluded – see "Highlights" under "Exclusions". Insurance is underwritten by IMG / Sirius, which is rated A by A.M. Best.

#### The New York International Group, Inc.

NYIG offers several temporary insurance plans, medical insurance for a minimum of 10 days up to a maximum of 12 months. This is primarily emergency care for illness or injury – NOT wellness care. Dental and vision coverage is not included. "Pre-existing conditions" are excluded – see "Exclusions". Insurance is underwritten by IMG / Sirius, which is rated A by A.M. Best.

#### Seven Corners Inc.

Seven Corners offers an "Inbound Guest" insurance plan that is temporary medical insurance coverage for a minimum of 5 days to a maximum of 6 months. Dental and vision coverage is not included. "Preexisting conditions" are excluded – see page 6, Definitions, the Inbound Guest Program Summary. Insurance is underwritten by Lloyd's, which is rated A by A.M. Best.

#### **HCC Medical Insurance Services**

Offers "CitizenSecure" worldwide medical insurance that includes coverage in the U.S. Requires use of "network" medical service providers. An optional Dental rider is available. View the terms of coverage at http://www.hccmis.com/citizen-secure-insurance-coverageus/. Rated A- by A.M. Best.

**Not truly "full" coverage**, but comes *much* closer than the temporary plans. Cost is comparable to that paid by Fermilab employees: ~\$300+ per month for a married couple with 1 child.

#### BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois

BCBS offers several plans that satisfy J legal regulations in including "Patriot America" which is temporary U.S. | their "BlueValue" series, each with \$250 deductible. BCBS offers a comparison of the different Blue Value plans to help decide which one best suits your circumstances. Rated A + bv A.M. Best.

> Truly "full" coverage. Cost is ~\$600+ per month for a married couple with 1 child. Only plans with \$250 deductibles are acceptable under J-1 regulations (BlueValue Advantage and BlueChoice Value).

Fermilab's Visa Office makes no recommendations about any company listed above. Please make your selection of medical insurance provider based on your review of the plan details and limitations and your own circumstances.

Questions? Comments? Contact the Visa Office!

#### **HOSPITALS AND DOCTORS**

The majority (although not all) the doctors in the area belong to Cadence Health (www.cadencehealth.org) which has recently (2015) merged with the Northwestern Medicine system. Depending on specialties, doctors in Cadence Health are staff at Central DuPage Hospital (<a href="http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/hospitals/cdh?locationtype=hospitals&city=winfield">http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/hospitals/cdh?locationtype=hospitals&city=winfield</a>) or Delnor Hospital

(http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/hospitals/delnor?locationtype=hospitals&city=geneva).

Other doctors who are not Cadence Health may be part of DuPage Medical Group with affiliation with Edward Hospital.

Cadence Health doctors have multiple offices and practice in many towns throughout the immediate area: Aurora, Bartlett, Batavia, Bloomingdale, Carol Stream, DeKalb, Elgin, Geneva, Glen Ellyn, Highland Park, Lisle, Naperville, New Lenox, St. Charles, South Elgin, Sugar Grove, Sycamore, Warrenville, Wheaton, and Winfield.

Primary Care: The board-certified family medicine, internal medicine and pediatric physicians provide comprehensive service from routine checkups to preventative care (http://www.cadencephysiciangroup.com/what-we-offer/primary-care).

Specialized Care (<a href="http://www.cadencephysiciangroup.com/what-we-offer/specialized-care">http://www.cadencephysiciangroup.com/what-we-offer/specialized-care</a>) is available in the following: Breast Disease and Surgery, Cancer Care, Cardiology, Chiropractic Medicine, Dermatology, Endocrinology, Gastroenterology, General Surgery, Genetics, Heart Surgery, Home Care, Infectious Diseases, Maternal Fetal Medicine, Neurosciences, Obstetrics and Gyncology, Orthopaedics, Palliative Medicine, Pediatric Subspeciality Care, Podiatry, Pulmonary, Psychiatry, Rheumatology, Sports Medicine, Thoracic Surgery, Vascular Surgery and Interventional Radiology, and Wound Care.

There are many special services also available within this health system including: travel immunizations and laboratory services.

Words of Advice: As soon as you move into the area search for either a "family medicine" doctor or an internist as well as a pediatrician (if you have kids.) It's always hard to figure out who is a good doctor but the websites give you information on the doctor's education, special interests and areas of expertise, which other languages they speak, etc. This gives you an approximate age for the doctor (best is often one with experience but relatively young) and you can make sure that this MD actually practices vs. doing research. You can also gauge if they are part of group (helpful if you need help and your doctor is unavailable) or working by themselves in a practice. Sometimes the links give you information on which insurance the doctor takes and whether the doctor is accepting new patients. All of this is important in order to find a doctor, and be sure to do the first/intake appointment well before you actually get sick and need help. By doing this, the doctor has records for you and basic information if needed in the future.

Many of the doctors (if not all) also use an electronic record messaging, and appointment setting program on the computer called "My Charts". Currently (2015) you might need to set up a few "my charts" for different doctors. The goal however is for this electronic record program to talk across records for all the doctors in the system. My Charts is terrific in letting you see your test results online, send non-urgent messages to your doctor, set up and cancel appointments, see that your insurance information is current, etc. It's well worth the few minutes needed to set it up and the staff at the doctor offices are usually very willing to help you.

Words of Advice: Type out a list of all your medicines, past surgeries, any allergies, special conditions and take this with you to your first appointment. Also carry a copy with you along with your health insurance card in case of an emergency.

Double check health insurance coverage before any large procedure or test. Don't assume it's covered.

If you need to go to an OB/GYN appointment and are thinking you might need a mammogram or blood test, see if you can schedule both things so that they follow one another. It saves a lot of time and energy if you can do your doctor's visit then go down one floor or over one building and get the test done. The general point is that medical appointments take time, and it's good to schedule several things at the same location at once if that's feasible; also to leave enough time after an appointment for immediate follow up tests if they are available then.

Be very organized with all the doctor's bills that might come in. Keep the receipts together. Often there is a long time gap between the doctor's visit or test and when the bill comes in and it's easy to lose track of details if you need to call a billing office and ask regarding one detail on a bill or another. Try to deal with insurance billing online if possible – that could save some long phone calls.

Words of Advice: Although the water in The Fermilab Village is safe to drink, it has a high mineral content and a strong taste. Many residents opt to pay for bottled water. Please speak with the Housing Office if you'd like to purchase bottled water brought to your house/apt. As of summer 2015, there will be a self-service filtered water machine in The Fermilab Village. Residents may fill their own containers for a deeply discounted price. (Updated information will be posted online as it becomes available.)

## 4. Living On-site

## 4.1 Housing Office (Also See Information in Section 2.2)

Fermilab's Housing Office (x3777, housing@fnal.gov) is in the lobby of Aspen East at the corner of Sauk Boulevard and Batavia Road in the Fermilab Village (see the map in the appendices of this document). Housing requests can be made by contacting the Housing Office or by submitting an online request at <a href="http://fess.fnal.gov/accommodations/housing\_request.html">http://fess.fnal.gov/accommodations/housing\_request.html</a>. Furnished houses, apartments, and dormitory rooms are available for users to rent. The Fermilab Village has a number of available facilities. To start with, vending machines and laundry facilities are at 18 Sauk Boulevard near the center of The FermilabVillage (laundry facilities also exist in the basement of Aspen East). The Users' Center (across the street at 2 Che Che Pinqua Street) has a bar, television/video room, game room, and a gourmet restaurant "Chez Leon".

# 4.2 Recreational Activity (Pool, Gym, Courts, Users' Center, Clubs, Sports Leagues, and Dance Groups)

#### **ON-SITE RECREATION**

The Fermilab Wellness Office is located on the 15th floor of Wilson Hall, West side (WH15W), at **x2548**. They are open 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. They handle membership for the Recreation Facility, Pool and other activities and clubs - as well as answering more general questions about recreation at Fermilab.

Memberships to these resources are only available to Fermilab employees, visiting researchers, eligible contractors, and their immediate families.

The Wellness Office web site <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/index.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/index.html</a>) contains a comprehensive and upto-date description of all the recreational opportunities at Fermilab.

In this section you will also find information about users' clubs and sports leagues. Some of these groups maintain a mailing list to inform their members about the group's activities. Instructions on how to subscribe to a mailing list can be found at: (<a href="http://listserv.fnal.gov/users.html">http://listserv.fnal.gov/users.html</a>). You will need to contact the group organizer to get the name of the mailing list and further information.

#### **RECREATION FACILITIES**

The Fitness Center is located at 16 Potawatomi in the Fermilab Village. It includes a multi-purpose gymnasium that can be set up for basketball, tennis, volleyball, dodgeball, badminton and soccer play. Some classes are held in the gym from time to time. It also includes an aerobics/exercise room, a weight room, and men's and women's locker rooms. For Fitness Class information go to <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/classes.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/classes.html</a>

Gym membership is required to use any part of the Fitness Center, available on an individual basis only and non-transferable. You are not required to have a gym membership in order to register for a Fitness Class. Fitness Classes have their own fees. For gym membership rates go to <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/facility.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/facility.html</a>

Gym Membership may be canceled for disruptive or destructive behavior or for allowing use of your member ID card by non-members. Memberships may be purchased in the Wellness Office, WH15W.

#### **SWIMMING POOL**

The Fermilab outdoor swimming pool (unheated) is located behind the Kuhn Barn on Sauk Road in The Fermilab Village. Dressing rooms, lockers, and shower facilities are available and are located adjacent to the pool in the lower level of Kuhn Barn.

#### 2015 membership rates are listed below.

Call the Recreation Department at x2548 to confirm, as rates are subject to change.

Single membership \$130 Family membership (up to 4 family members) \$305 Additional family members \$55 each

(Children aged 2 and under free)

Employees without a pool membership may pay a daily admission fee (2014) of \$8.00 per day (\$6.00 after 4PM on weekdays only), payable at the pool gate. Guests must be accompanied by a Fermilab employee and pay the daily admission fee. Admission charges to the pool will be strictly enforced. Daily fees will not be applied to a pool membership purchase.

#### 2015 Pool Hours were:

Season: Tuesday, June 9- Sunday, August 16th

Closed Mondays,

Tuesday-Friday Open 12:00 am - 7:00 pm,

Saturday and Sunday Open 1pm - 6:00 pm.

The pool will also close for rain, thunder, lightning, or other severe weather - or for outdoor temperatures less than 70 degrees Fahrenheit. Call **x3119** or **x2548** for status.

#### Equipment:

Sun-beds and umbrellas are available at the pool.

Showers are located in the basement of Kuhn Barn.

There are two swimming areas in the sports complex. The children's swimming area is for children 0-6 years. There is no lifeguard on duty. The large adult swimming pool has 4 side ladders for entry and is 3 feet deep on one end to 11 feet deep on the other.

#### **POOL RULES**

- All persons are required to shower before entering the pool.
- Appropriate swimwear is required. No cutoff jean shorts or zippers allowed.
- Diapers are not permitted in the pools. Plastic pants should be worn under swimsuits of children who are not potty trained.
- A daily fee or current pool tag must be presented for admission to the pool. Pool tags are not transferable.
- Admission will be refused to all persons having contagious disease, infectious skin conditions, or any other condition, which has the appearance of being infectious. Persons with adhesive tape, rubber bandages or other bandages are not permitted.
- All children under 12 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult age 18 or older. Parents MUST keep an eye on their children.
- Any person under the influence of alcohol, drugs or exhibiting erratic behavior will not be permitted into the pool area.
- No food, drink, or gum is allowed on the pool deck.
- No drugs, alcohol or smoking is allowed.
- Glass is not allowed in the pool area.
- No running, boisterous or rough play is permitted.
- Spitting, spouting of water, blowing the nose or otherwise introducing contaminants into the pool is not permitted.
- Diving in the shallow water is not permitted.
- Swimmers may be asked to leave the deep end of the pool at the lifeguard's discretion.

A swim test may be required to prove skill level for deep water.

• Use of pool equipment, flotation devices, kick boards, toys are at the lifeguard's discretion. At peak or busy times the lifeguard has the authority to prohibit such equipment for the safety of the swimmers

Words of Advice: Before paying the membership fee for the pool, you might want to think about how many times you might actually be able to go to the pool so you can compare the approximate total costs involved. The pool hours may be influenced by the weather with very little warning so paying the \$8 per visit might be a better option for you.

You'll also need to bring your towel and showering supplies as none are provided.

#### **Swimming Instruction for Children**

Youth Swimming lessons & adult water aerobics classes are offered in The Fermilab Village pool. For more information and to sign up go to jeffellismanagement.com

Words of Advice: The Delnor Physical and Recreational Facility (next to Delnor Hospital on Randall Rd.) offer a modern full service athletic facility and two pools. An array of water classes including e.g., water yoga are offered with excellent changing rooms almost like a spa. You can purchase a day pass for \$15 or a week passes \$40 up to three times. This is a really nice alternative or add-on to your swimming exercise program.

#### **OTHER FACILITIES**

Three outdoor tennis courts are located behind Kuhn Barn in The Fermilab Village. These are first-come, first-serve, unless there is league play.

Two sand volleyball courts are available and located behind the swimming pool. Use of these courts is on a first-come, first-serve basis, unless there is league play.

A softball diamond and basketball court is also located behind Kuhn barn. These are first-come, first-serve, unless there is league play.

A soccer field is located at the end of Sauk Blvd. This field is used for soccer, Ultimate Frisbee and Broomball play.

#### **VILLAGE USERS' CENTER**

The Village Users' Center at 10 Che Che Pinqua in The Fermilab Village, is open Monday through Thursday from 5:00 - 10:00 p.m. and Fridays 5:00 p.m. to midnight. The Center has a bar, ping-pong, pool, cards, and chess and checkers.

You'll also find meeting rooms, a television with DVD/VCR, a piano, and a small library. You can borrow the center's ping-pong balls, etc., from the Aspen East Housing Office. (Open during business hours, Monday through Friday.)

#### **VENDING AND LAUNDRY BUILDING**

The Vending area, the house located at 18 Sauk in The Fermilab Village, has:

• Vending: Soda, water and candy machines

• Laundry: Five washers and five dryers are available. They are coin operated.

• Mail Boxes: All the mailboxes for houses and dorms on-site are located here. The keys are

issued by the Housing Office.

Words of Advice: Note that these mailboxes are for small quantities of letters or magazines. Any larger packages come in to Aspen East from the central Mailroom. If you get a package one of the housing staff email you a notice. These packages are left on an open desk in the dorm lobby.

Note also that there isn't an easy way to deal with any special packages---flowers, perishable items, or items that need refrigeration. If the Housing Office staff knows you are expecting an item that needs refrigeration, they may be able to put it in their office refrigerator but you will need to pick it up during office hours.

• Piano Room: There is a small piano room available in the vending area. You can request a key for this room from the Housing Office, Aspen East.

#### **CLUBS**

A list of the various recreational clubs at Fermilab is maintained by the Wellness Office at <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/clubs.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/clubs.html</a>.

Below you will find the list of clubs currently active at Fermilab.

Barnstormers Model Airplane Club Jim Zagel, x4076 The Fermilab Barnstormers was formed to promote the art of building and operating radio control (R/C) models of all types, as well as all flying models. We have many individual interests that include R/C airplanes, R/C helicopters, Control Line airplanes, and free flight planes. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 5:30 pm, at the Frelo Field or if the weather does not cooperate at the Users' Center TV room.

<u>Chess Club</u> Lenny Spiegel x2809 The Fermilab Chess club is open to all employees and visitors and meets during the year, depending on demand, for casual - usually blitz - games. During the academic year we also participate in matches sponsored by the Chicago Industrial Chess League. Half of these matches are played at Fermilab and the other half are played at nearby companies and organizations, such as Lucent Technology and Argonne National Laboratory. It should be pointed out that there is a wide distribution of playing strengths within the League, so even people who are relatively new to the game should find the match play of interest.

**Fermilab Singers** Terry Hart (tlh@fnal.gov) **x3993** Fermilab Singers, the Fermilab choir, provides an opportunity for people to meet, sing together and learn new music selections.

<u>Garden Club</u> Eileen Berman **x3941** The Garden Club is open to persons who are interested in gardening under well-maintained, ecologically sound conditions.

<u>Indian Creek Riding Club</u> Always had an interest in horses? Fermilab's Indian Creek Riding Club is looking for new members who love horses or are interested in learning more about them. We are accepting new applications for membership and for those who are looking for a new place to board, we have stall availability! Please send us an email at egads@fnal.gov or tope@fnal.gov.

<u>Photography Club</u> Matthew Arena, **x4793** The purpose of the Fermilab Photography Club is to share ideas, techniques, tips & tricks about photography with fellow club members. For more information, visit <a href="https://sites.google.com/site/fnalphotoclub/">https://sites.google.com/site/fnalphotoclub/</a>

**Russian Club** Alexey Burov, **x8852** This club will meet and discuss cultural news, history, literature, art, philosophy, and tourism. The goal is to provide a general exchange of information and mutual assistance for each other.

**Scuba Club** Dave Capista, **x2369** This is an opportunity to meet other divers, share photos and plan group dives. Contact: capista@fnal.gov

Society Of Philosophy Club Alexey Burov, x8852 History shows that fundamental science is a fruit of a certain faith. How was this faith expressed through the centuries, and what is its condition now? What is the relation between the scientific faith and scientism? Does physics send a spiritual message to humanity? Does it shed any light on the mystery of our own existence? For more information, feel free to contact philosophysociety@fnal.gov.

<u>Sustainable Energy Club</u> Brian Chase, **x3040** The Fermilab Sustainable Energy Club creates the opportunity for interested Fermilab employees to learn, share information and collaborate on projects related to sustainable energy. The scope of these projects may include residential, transportation related, educational, regional and other, only limited by one's creativity and imagination.

#### International Folk Dancing, Scottish Country Dancing, and English Country Dancing

NALWO sponsors three recreational dance groups open to everyone from Fermilab and the surrounding communities. International Folk Dance is every Thursday evening from 7:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m., Scottish Country Dancing is every Tuesday evening from 7:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. English Country Dancing is held once a month on a Sunday afternoon and has live music every 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> month. The evening dance groups meet in The Fermilab Village Barn (Kuhn Barn) on the east side of the Fermilab site from September to May and move to Ramsey Auditorium in Wilson Hall, Fermilab's High-rise, during the summer. English country dancing takes place in Kuhn Barn year round. In all groups, the dances are taught, and you don't need to come with a partner. Children are welcome, but no babysitting is provided; children either dance or do quiet activities. For more information, contact folkdance@fnal.gov or Mady Newfield at 630-584-0825.

#### **SPORTS LEAGUES**

All leagues and open gym participants played in the Fitness Center require a gym membership. You must have a Fermi badge in order to obtain a gym membership. For updated Athletic League information go to http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/leagues.html .

#### **Badminton Open Gym**

Open Gym Badminton is held on Sundays 9 - 11 a.m., Wednesdays 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., and Fridays 4 - 6 p.m. at the Fermilab Fitness Center Gymnasium. You must have a Fermi Badge and a gym membership to participate. For more information contact Aaron Chou at achou@fnal.gov.

#### **Basketball Open Gym**

Open Gym Basketball is held on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 9:00 p.m. at the Fermilab Fitness Center Gymnasium. You must have a Fermi Badge and a gym membership to participate. For more information email junhui.private@gmail.com.

#### **Broomball Open League**

FBBL Broomball is an outdoor, year-round, all-weather (except in case of lightning) sport! Think field hockey, but played with homemade "brooms" and a large tennis ball. Games are played on an open basis in The Fermilab Village, either on the soccer field or the 'Blackhawk Glade' between Blackhawk Blvd and Shabonna St, depending on the number of players that day. Games are usually during lunch (12:15 - 12:45 p.m.) but may include 5 p.m. games during warmer months. Contact Chris Greer at **x4847** or cgreer@fnal.gov for more information and be added to the daily signup list.

#### Golf League - Fermilab

The Fermilab Golf League is looking for golfers of all abilities and genders to play in friendly, but structured, four-person team competitions using a handicapped format. They play at either Bliss Creek on Tuesday or Fox Valley on Wednesday evenings during the summer. Membership is open to all current and retired Fermilab employees (including immediate family members), Users, and contractors doing business with the Lab. We have openings for full-time and part-time golfers and even some teams. Contact Mike Matulik at **x4091** or matulik@fnal.gov for more information.

#### **Golf League - Phillips Park**

The Thursday night Phillips Park golf league has openings for a few more players. If you are interested in playing in a fun league on Thursday nights contact Steve Baginski at **x3721** or baginski@fnal.gov or visit http://home.fnal.gov/~baginski/leagues/phillipspark.html.

#### **Golf League - Tanna Farms**

Golfers are needed in the Tanna Farms Monday Night League. We will be playing at Tanna Farms on Hughes Road, Geneva. This individual competition league is based upon handicap. The season runs from late April to late August. For more info contact Ron Evans rone@fnal.gov or Gary Davis gdavis@fnal.gov.

#### Sand Volleyball - Open Play

Held at the outdoor sand volleyball courts, behind Kuhn Barn, on Tuesdays in the summer. Open Play games begin at 5:30 p.m.

#### **Soccer Indoors Open League**

The Indoor Soccer League is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at the Fitness Center gymnasium. Gym membership is required. All levels are welcome. League is open to all adult Fermilab employees, retirees, visitors, interns and contractors. Interested players should send an email to fermi soccer@fnal.gov. The league Representative is Dr. O'Sheg Oshinowa.

#### **Soccer Outdoors Open League**

The Outdoor Soccer League is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6 p.m. till dark at The Fermilab Village Soccer Field beginning mid-May. All levels are welcome. League is open to all adult Fermilab employees, retirees, visitors, interns and contractors. Interested players should send an email to fermi\_soccer@fnal.gov. The league Representative is Dr. O'Sheg Oshinowa.

#### **Softball Coed League**

Come join Fermilab's summer COED 14 inch softball league. This is for men and women. All are welcome. Not on a team, we can put you on one. Games are played in The Fermilab Village on Wednesday or Thursday nights at 5:30 p.m. Season starts May 1st. Season is 15 games plus double elimination playoffs. All teams are eligible for playoffs. This is not your typical park district league, there is no experience required and there is no cost to join the league. The only requirement is to have some fun, get a little exercise, and enjoy the outdoors. For more information, contact hockin@fnal.gov.

#### **Tennis Indoors League**

The indoor season starts in October with play inside the gym; matches are scheduled weekdays in the middle of the afternoon; gym membership is required. For more information, please email John Yoh at johny@fnal.gov

#### **Tennis Singles Outdoors League**

The Outdoor Singles Tennis League begins in May. Contact John Yoh johny@fnal.gov for more information.

#### **Ultimate Frisbee**

Games are played on Mondays and Wednesdays at the soccer field in The Fermilab Village beginning at 6 p.m. throughout the summer. For more information contact jmorales@fnal.gov or abercell@fnal.gov.

#### Volleyball Open Gym

Open Gym Volleyball is held on Mondays 6-10 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m. -1 p.m. at the Fermilab Fitness Center Gymnasium. You must have a Fermi Badge and a gym membership to participate. If you are not a gym member and would like to try it out before joining you may obtain a one-day free trial pass from the Wellness Office, WH15W.

#### **OFF-SITE RECREATION (LOTS OF IT!)**

Of course, being near a large metropolis has its benefits. Some recreational activities not associated with Fermilab are listed below, for when you want to get away.

- Chicago Sport and Social Club: 773-883-9596, 952 W. Webster, Chicago. (<a href="http://www.chicagosportandsocialclub.com/">http://www.chicagosportandsocialclub.com/</a>) This club offers volleyball, football, soccer, basketball, etc. as well as social events including parties, trips, and tournaments, which vary with the season. Volleyball has varying levels of play, from recreational to competitive, and they offer summer beach and winter indoor. The football program offers coed touch, men's flag, and coed flag leagues for roughly \$550/team, with a similar format for basketball and soccer.
- Whale of a Spike Volleyball: 773-489-6464; 3123 West Lyndale St., Chicago (<a href="http://www.wsvb.com">http://www.wsvb.com</a>) This Chicago organization offers summer beach leagues on North Ave. beach and winter indoor leagues in Lincoln Park, with levels ranging from recreational to competitive. Teams for men's, women's, and coed beach teams may have 2 players/team or 4 players/team, while the winter indoor teams have 6 players/team. Note: the fee per team is on the order of \$350 with at least six on the team. Granted, this is more expensive than the Fermi league, but play is better and with different people. Winter leagues have paid refs.
- Great Lakes Center: 630-231-0444; 551 W. Roosevelt Rd., West Chicago (<a href="http://www.greatlakescenter.com">http://www.greatlakescenter.com</a>) Local club totally devoted to volleyball, with great facilities and equipment. The leagues are all indoor, with skill levels ranging from elite to intermediate, with the fee being about \$250/team for 6 people. The facility is very nice, and the quality of play here is very high.
- Chicago Area Folk Dance: (<a href="http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/folkdance/FolkDanceScene.pdf">http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/folkdance/FolkDanceScene.pdf</a>)
   This is an extensive 4 page listing of an array of Chicago area folk dance groups and the schedule of their activities! Mady Newfield, 914 Horne Street, St. Charles, IL 60174, 630-584-0825; folkdance@fnal.gov

## 4.3 Wellness Programs and Services

A list of the available fitness classes is maintained by the Wellness Office website at <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/classes.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/wellness/classes.html</a>

For availability, registration and schedule information contact the Wellness Office at jecker@fnal.gov or **x2548**.

Classes currently offered include Ultimate Core, Zumba Toning, Zumba Fitness, Mat Pilates and Yoga.

## 4.4 Cultural Activity (Music, Lectures, and Art)

Listings of events from the Fermilab Arts Series, Gallery Chamber Series, Lecture Series, and Art Gallery can be accessed directly at http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/index.shtml

<u>The Fermilab Arts Series</u> features Saturday evening performances each month of internationally acclaimed performances of music, dance, theater, comedy, and family offerings. A complete schedule of the upcoming Arts Series is available at: <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/Arts/14-15/arts">http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/Arts/14-15/arts</a> series.shtml. Note that Fermilab Graduate Students can get tickets at half price if bought prior to the show. A half price discount is also offered for students under the age of 18. No advance purchase is required for this student discount. (x2787).

<u>The Fermilab Gallery Chamber Series</u> features a monthly schedule of classical music performances. A complete schedule of the current Gallery Chamber Series can be found at: http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/Gallery-chamber/2016/gallery-chamber-series2016.shtml

<u>The Fermilab Lecture Series</u> is a public academic lecture series, presenting distinguished speakers from many disciplines, though primarily based in the sciences. A complete schedule of the current lecture series is available at: <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/Lectures/14-15/lecture.shtml">http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/Lectures/14-15/lecture.shtml</a>
Note that Fermilab Graduate Students receive free tickets for the Lecture Series.

<u>The Fermilab Art Gallery</u> on the second floor of Wilson Hall hosts bi-monthly exhibits by local and regional artists. The exhibitions are engaging and varied, including watercolors, oils, contemporary sculpture, fiber arts and photography. Fermilab invites employees and users to visit and relax in the Art Gallery during work hours. <a href="http://www.fnal.gov//pub/Art\_Gallery/">http://www.fnal.gov//pub/Art\_Gallery/</a>

Tickets, Information, and Brochures for the Arts, Gallery Chamber, Lecture and Gallery Series events are available either by calling 630-840-ARTS (x2787) or visiting the Box Office located in Wilson Hall (https://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/arts\_tickets.shtml)

## 4.5 Library Services

#### FERMILAB LIBRARY

The Fermilab Library is located on the third floor crossover of Wilson and has broad range of services available. (**x3401**, library@fnal.gov).

The library's goal is to support high-energy physics research at Fermilab, and to support the high energy physics community worldwide.

The Library is part of the Information Resources Group, led by Heath O'Connell (hoc@fnal.gov), which is part of the Core Computing Division (http://computing.fnal.gov/xms/About/Departments).

The Library has about 15,000 books, from college-level texts to more advanced research. There are also current issues of seven daily newspapers, current magazines and journals, and back issues of journals not available online. Photocopiers, printers, scanners, and five computers are also available.

The Library is open 24/7 to persons with Wilson Hall access. It is staffed Mondays through Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. It is open to the public by appointment.

Fermilab badge holders may check out books anytime. There is a limit of twenty books per employee and ten books for staff in all other categories. Self-service checkout is available when the library is not staffed. The library welcomes requests for books and journal articles and it obtains books and articles from local, national and international sources. Most articles are e-mailed as PDFs within a few days, and PDFs of articles from the library print journals collection are e-mailed in one day.

#### **ILLINOIS PUBLIC LIBRARY**

The Illinois Public Library System has the following branches in the area:

- St. Charles. 1 S 6th Ave. 630-584-0076 http://www.stcharleslibrary.org
- Warrenville. 28W751 Stafford Pl. 630-393-1171 http://warrenville.com
- Batavia. 335 W Wilson St. 630-879-1393 http://www.batavia.lib.il.us/
- Naperville. 200 W. Jefferson St. 630-961-4100 <a href="http://www.naperville-lib.org">http://www.naperville-lib.org</a>
- Wheaton. 225 Cross St. 630-688-1374 <a href="http://www.wheatonlibrary.org/">http://www.wheatonlibrary.org/</a>
- Geneva. 127 James St. 630-232-0780 http://gpld.org/
- Aurora. 1 E Benton St. 630-264-4100 http://www.aurorapubliclibrary.org
- West Chicago. 118 W Washington St. 630-231-1552 http://www.westchicago.lib.il.us

Words of Advice: If you live in The Fermilab Village, you will need to pay a yearly library fee to use any of the public libraries in the area. The fee is based on your rent. Because Fermilab is government property, it does not pay local taxes, so residents of The Fermilab Village must pay. Note also, that even if you live in The Fermilab Village (with the nearest library being in Warrenville) you will need to secure your card in the Batavia branch of the library. Once secured, you can use the card at any branch. Note that you will need positive proof of your identity and your address (driver's license, Fermilab lease with your name on it, bank statement with your name and address on it, Proof of Residency from Housing Office). In a pinch, the Fermilab library (Wilson) will do an interlibrary loan for you, even if you only have a Fermilab ID but this is only to be used in an extreme situation.

## 4.6 Transportation and Getting Around (Please also see section 3.5)

There is a taxi service for on-site-travel at no charge. The hours of operation are 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Call **x4225** (HACK) to arrange transportation

Transportation to and from Chicago O'Hare Airport or Midway Airport is available by limousine, taxi or car rental. Transportation to and from the Geneva local commuter Metra train station on the Union Pacific West line is available by taxi or Pace Call-n-Ride.

#### **CAR RENTAL**

All of the usual rental companies (such as Hertz, Avis, Budget and National) are located at the airports. For the best price, we recommend Ace Rent-a-Car at O'Hare Airport, telephone 800-243-3443 or 847-297-3350, as their prices are competitive and include the cost of insurance.

#### LIMOUSINE SERVICE

Reservations for limousine service should be made in advance when possible. West Suburban Limousine: 800-345-LIMO or 630-668-9600. For pickup instructions after your arrival at O'Hare Airport or Midway Airport, call 800-942-LIMO.

#### **PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**

Pace's regional Call-n-Ride bus service serves Fermilab, areas of Batavia, and the Geneva local commuter Metra train station on the Union Pacific West line. View the Pace Call-n-Ride information sheet (<a href="http://www.fnal.gov/pub/visiting/transportation/call-n-ride.pdf">http://www.fnal.gov/pub/visiting/transportation/call-n-ride.pdf</a>) for Fermilab to learn more about using this service.

# PACE CALL-N-RIDE SERVICE BETWEEN FERMILAB AND GENEVA METRA STATION (Please also see section 3.5)

Pace's Call-n-Ride (<a href="http://pacebus.com/sub/schedules/call\_n\_ride.asp">http://pacebus.com/sub/schedules/call\_n\_ride.asp</a>) bus service has expanded to Fermilab, areas of Batavia and the Geneva Metra train station on the Union Pacific West line (<a href="http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home.html">http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home.html</a>).

Pace charges a fee of \$1.75 for a one-way ride. Exact fare is required. The Pace driver will not make change. Cash and Ventra (<a href="https://www.ventrachicago.com/">https://www.ventrachicago.com/</a>) payments are accepted. Monthly Metra passes can be bought in conjunction with a Pace PlusBus pass with unlimited Pace bus rides within the same calendar month offered at a discounted fare. For more information and to purchase go to <a href="http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500">http://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html?cq\_ck=1251746486500</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html</a> - <a href="https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html</a> - <a href="https://metra.html">https://metrarail.com/metra/en/home/tickets.html</a> - <a href="https://metra.html">https://metra.html</a> - <a href="https://metra.html">https://m

There are two scheduled runs from the Geneva Metra station to the east ground-floor entrance of Wilson Hall in the morning:

#### Departs Geneva Metra station Arrives Wilson Hall east ground floor

7:38 a.m. 7:52 a.m. 8:52 a.m. 9:06 a.m.

In the evening, there are three scheduled runs from the east ground-floor entrance of Wilson Hall to the Geneva Metra station:

#### Departs Wilson Hall east ground floor Arrives Geneva Metra station

4:12 p.m. 4:32 p.m. 5:11 p.m. 5:26 p.m. 6:32 p.m.

If you plan to take one of the Fermilab scheduled runs listed above, you do not need to call ahead.

The Pace bus accommodates riders with special needs.

If you'd like to make use of the Call-n-Ride service at a time other than those listed above, call 847-254-7171 and reserve your ride at least one hour in advance anytime between 6:30 a.m. and 6:50 p.m. If you'd like a ride before 7:30 a.m., please call the day before to schedule. The Pace bus will stop only at Wilson Hall's east ground-floor entrance.

View the Fermilab Call-n-Ride brochure (<a href="http://pacebus.com/pdf/C-n-R/Batavia CnR WINTER 2015.pdf">http://pacebus.com/pdf/C-n-R/Batavia CnR WINTER 2015.pdf</a>) for more information. If you have questions, please email Katie Kosirog at kswanson@fnal.gov.

#### FERMILAB'S TAXI SERVICE

For those who work somewhere other than Wilson Hall, call the Fermilab taxi at **x3132** for transportation within Fermilab. To connect with the Pace bus at Wilson Hall at the designated afternoon departure times, please call the taxi service before 3 p.m. to schedule your transport. Note that the Fermilab taxi will not be available for the 5:11 p.m. departure.

#### 4.7 Area Park Districts

There are numerous parks in the area. Check their locations based on the city park district you are thinking of...

- Batavia Park District 630-879-5235. http://www.batpkdist.org
- Aurora City Parks 630-897-0516. http://foxvalleyparkdistrict.org
- St. Charles Park District 630-584-1055. http://www.st-charlesparks.org
- Geneva Park District 630-232-4542. <a href="http://www.genevaparks.org">http://www.genevaparks.org</a>
- Warrenville Park District 630-393-7279. <a href="http://www.warrenvilleparks.org">http://www.warrenvilleparks.org</a>
- Naperville Park District 630-848-5000. http://www.napervilleparks.org

## 4.8 Food On-site and Area Supermarkets

#### 4.8.1 FOOD ON-SITE

There is a cafeteria (Fermilab Southern Foodservice Management) located on the first floor atrium of the Wilson Hall. It is open Monday through Saturday during the following hours:

Breakfast 7:30 to 10:15 a.m. (8:00 to 10:15 a.m. on Saturdays)

Lunch 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Saturdays)

Snacks 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. (weekdays only)

There are vending machines near the dining area in Wilson (and in the laundry area in The Fermilab Village.)

In addition to the cafeteria, Chez Leon, located in The Fermilab Village Users' Center, serves meals twice a week. (Please see more details in Section 2.1)

#### 4.8.2 NEARBY SUPERMARKETS

There are no stores on-site.

The nearest basic food market, **Family Foods**, is about 3 kilometers (1.5 miles) east of The Fermilab Village at the corner of Batavia Road and Route 59. It is open from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. every day (phone 630-393-2800). Delivery is available.

#### Jewel/Osco in West Chicago

This chain supermarket is about 8 minutes from the Batavia exit. (Turn left on Rt. 59, left on Joliet St., the supermarket is located at: 177 E. Roosevelt Rd., West Chicago, 630-293-5360. Open from 6 a.m. to 12 midnight, 7 days a week.

**Geneva Farmers' Market** at the Geneva downtown train station Sundays 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Aurora Farmers' Market 350 N. River St., Aurora, 630-256-3400 Saturday mornings

Naperville Farmers' Market 200 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Av., Naperville (Saturday mornings)

**Caputo's Fresh Market** 3115 111<sup>th</sup> St., Naperville, 630-579-3300

**Woodman's Food Market** 151 Hansen Blvd., N. Aurora, 630-723-3900 Excellent selection and pricing, great for everyday products, great liquor department, open 24 hours

Super H. Korean Market 1295 E. Ogden Av., Naperville, 630-778-9800 Great for hard to find items.

Trader Joe's 1942 W. Fabyan Pkwy., Batavia, 630-879-3234 nice flowers, good selection of cheeses

Ream's Elburn Market 128 N. Main St., Elburn, 630-365-6461 specialty meats and sausages

La Huerta Mexican Market and Deli 580 S. Randall Road, St. Charles, 630-587-0549

**Supermercado El Guero** 850 N. Farnsworth Av., Aurora, 630-898-5100 whole aisle of different chilis, latin cuts of pork, cheap prices, good specials.

**La Chiquita** 133 W. Roosevelt Rd., W. Chicago, 630-231-0098, clean Latin supermarket, great cuts of pork at good prices, lots of varieties of chorizo, good produce, across the street from Jewel/Osco W. Chicago, so very close to the Batavia exit from lab.

**Whole Foods** 151 Rice Lake Square, Danada Square, Wheaton, 630-588-1500, for great fresh fruits and vegetables, fish, etc. About 10 minutes from the Batavia gate.

Freshmarket in Geneva, 718 Commons Drive, Geneva, 630-845-4095

**Costco** 221 S. Randall Rd. St. Charles, 630-549-2022

**Spice Mart** 1552 N Aurora Rd., Naperville, 630-305-4347, Chutneys 1904 Brookdale Road, Naperville, 630-355-8339, and Patel 2410 Army Trail Road, Hanover Park, 630-213-2222, carry Indian spices, grains, fresh fruits and vegetables, desserts, etc.

Super-Target: 28201 Diehl Rd., Warrenville, 630-961-4061 (also another on Randall Rd. in Batavia.)

Wal-Mart Supercenter: 2900 Kirk Rd., Aurora, 630-375-6207 (also another on Randall Rd. in Batavia.)

#### FOOD PANTRIES NEAR BATAVIA, IL

- -Batavia Interfaith Food Pantry, 100 Flinn St. Batavia, IL 630-879-3784
- -Holy Angels Food Pantry, 204 s. Russell Av., Aurora, IL 630-897-2478
- -Glen Ellyn Food Pantry, 493 Forest Av., Glen Ellyn, IL 630-469-8668
- -Northern Illinois Food Bank, 273 Dearborn Ct., Geneva, IL 630-443-6910
- -Loaves and Fishes, 1871 High Grove Lane, Naperville, IL 630-355-3663

Words of Advice: It is well worth the very few minutes it takes to get to the Jewel/Osco supermarket in West Chicago. The store is much bigger with fresh fruit and vegetables, fish, more reasonable prices.

If you go to Family Foods nearby in Warrenville, note that there is a dry cleaners and hardware store in the same shopping area.

Many find the yearly fee at Costco to be well worth it.

### 4.9 Things to Do in the Suburbs

This section is intended as a repository of the many great things to do around here not covered in any other section.

#### **BROOKFIELD**

#### Brookfield Zoo:

3300 Golf Rd., Brookfield, 708-485-0263.

Zoo Hours

Brookfield Zoo is open every 365 days of the year!

Monday-Friday: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday-Sunday: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

General zoo admission is free on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday through February 28, 2015, and Tuesdays and Thursdays from October 1 through December 31, 2015.

#### General Zoo Admission

Adults \$16.95 Seniors 65 and Over \$11.95 Children (3 to 11) \$11.95

(http://www.brookfieldzoo.org).

#### **LISLE**

#### Morton Arboretum:

Just off Rt. 88, north on Rt. 53 in Lisle, IL. A nice place to see lots of trees and gardens.

Admission

December through March AND every Wednesday

\$9 Adults ages 18–64

\$8 Seniors ages 65+

\$6 Youth ages 2–17

April through November

\$14 Adults ages 18-64

\$12 Seniors ages 65+

\$9 Youth ages 2–17

Children 1 and younger are free

Admission includes FREE parking!

Members always enter for free with valid membership credentials.

The Morton Arboretum offers free, year-round admission to active-duty service men or women with a valid ID.

See if your membership to other gardens allows a partial admission benefit to The Morton Arboretum.

#### Hours

The Arboretum is open 365 days a year from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. during Daylight Savings Time and from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. during Central Standard Time, 630-968-0074.

#### AURORA AND JOLIET

#### Casinos:

Downtown Aurora houses a riverboat casino. This is no Las Vegas style gambling, but good for a hoot if you're loaded with dough. There is a casino in Joliet as well.

#### **NAPERVILLE**

#### Riverwalk:

Starts in downtown Naperville (Ogden east to Washington and south to where you see water and parking space).

Naperville Astronomical Association:

Astronomy club for southwest suburban Chicagoland (<a href="http://www.stargazing.net/naa/">http://www.stargazing.net/naa/</a>). Free public meetings and stargazing from the observatory.

#### OAK PARK

Frank Lloyd Wright's Home &Studio:

951 Chicago Ave., Oak Park, 708-848-1976. Tours are available Monday through Friday (http://www.flwright.org/aboutus/).

Find hours, location, directions, and accessibility information at each of our historic sites.

#### Frank Lloyd Wright Home and Studio (http://www.flwright.org/visit/homeandstudio)

Frank Lloyd Wright's first home and studio, birthplace of an architectural revolution. Wright used his home (1889) to explore design concepts that contain the seeds of his architectural philosophy. In his adjacent studio (1898), Wright and his associates developed a new American architecture – the Prairie style. The historic district surrounding the Home and Studio has the greatest number of Wright-design residences anywhere.

#### Unity Temple (http://www.flwright.org/visit/unitytemple)

Unity Temple (1905-08) is Frank Lloyd Wright's only surviving public building from his Prairie period. It was designed and constructed in 1905-08. Limited by a modest budget and an urban site, Wright created an innovative design and used unconventional materials to produce one of the most sophisticated accomplishments of his early career.

#### The Rookery (<a href="http://www.flwright.org/visit/rookery">http://www.flwright.org/visit/rookery</a>)

Set in the heart of Chicago's financial district, Daniel Burnham and John Root's Rookery Building is a Chicago landmark, containing a luminous and brilliantly articulated central light court remodeling (1905) by Frank Lloyd Wright. Balancing Burnham & Root's ornamental ironwork and his own vision, Wright created a spectacular environment – one of his most dramatic interior compositions.

#### Frederick C. Robie House (http://www.flwright.org/visit/robiehouse)

Sparking a revolution in residential architecture that still reverberates today, the Robie House (1908-10) is considered one of the most important buildings in the architectural history. The house is a masterpiece of the Prairie style and a forerunner of modernism in architecture. A historic restoration is underway at the Robie House.

#### Emil Bach House (http://www.flwright.org/visit/bachhouse)

The richly conceived yet intimately scaled Bach House (1915) adopts the vocabulary of the Prairie house, but looks toward future stylistic directions in Wright's work. Described as "semi-cubist," its compact plan is a modification of Wright's "fireproof house," which was published in 1907 in *Ladies Home Journal*. In 2013, the building was meticulously restored to its original appearance.

## 4.10 Learning English

**Literacy Volunteers Fox Valley** offers **free** English lessons. If you are an adult who needs to read, write, and speak English better, they will match you with a tutor who will meet with you one hour a week in the morning, afternoon or the evening either at the library or another public place. Call 630-584-2811, Literacy Volunteers Fox Valley, One South Sixth Av., St. Charles, IL 60174, email: info@lvfv.org.

**NALWO** offers on-site English as a Second Language in a conversational group setting. The group meets late August through May each year, on Wednesdays, 9:30 - 11 a.m. in the Users' Center Lounge in The Fermilab Village. This is **free** and open to all. Contact NALWO at: nalwo@fnal.gov

Several local colleges offer English as a Second Language Classes, and some are even free of charge:

#### Waubonsee Community College (<a href="http://www.waubonsee.edu">http://www.waubonsee.edu</a>)

Sugar Grove Campus, Rt. 47 at Waubonsee Drive, Sugar Grove, IL 60554-9495 630-466-7900 Also Aurora Campus, 18 S. River St., Aurora, IL 60506-4134 630-801-7900 Also Copley Campus (Route 34 on Rush-Copley Campus), 2060 Ogden Av., Aurora, IL 60504 630-585-7900

College of DuPage (<a href="http://www.cod.edu/esl/">http://www.cod.edu/esl/</a>)

425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137 630-942-2800

Elgin Community College (<a href="http://elgin.edu/students.aspx?id=386">http://elgin.edu/students.aspx?id=386</a>)

Adult Basic Education Center, Bldg K, Room K100, ECC Campus, 1700 Spartan Drive, Elgin, IL 60123 847-214-6904

## 5. Living in the Chicago Area

## 5.1 Transportation to Chicago

#### **COMMUTER TRAINS AROUND FERMILAB**

Commuter trains connecting the suburbs around Chicago are available and may in some cases be useful to you when moving around the area. Some students and postdocs who live in the city of Chicago take the METRA/UNION Pacific West Line from the Ogilvie Transportation Center at Chicago to the Geneva Metra Station, or the METRA/BNSF Railway from Union Station at Chicago to the Route 59 station in Naperville as part of their daily commute.

See Section 4.6 for more detail on getting to/from METRA

A typical commute from downtown using one of these two lines should last approximately between 60-75 minutes on the train plus a 15-25 minute drive from the station to the lab. If you do not live nearby Union Station in Chicago, you should consider the extra time it will take you to get there from your home.

#### **GETTING TO DOWNTOWN CHICAGO**

Getting to downtown Chicago from Fermilab should nominally take you about 45 minutes to an hour by car, but that estimate can be complicated by the sometimes severe traffic in the Chicago area (do not go downtown during rush hours if you can help it). Once you get downtown, it may still take you considerable time to reach your final destination, so plan accordingly. The following sections give you some tips about getting downtown.

The City of Chicago is quite spread out, which, combined with urban traffic, can make getting around troublesome for the unfamiliar. You can listen to the radio for traffic reports - but note that they will refer to all the highways by their names rather than their numbers. A map of Illinois would have a name/number translation. Downtown Chicago, in the area referred to as the Loop (because the Elevated trains run in a loop around it), can also be very congested, and the many small one-way streets can be confusing to a visitor.

In Chicago, as in any large city, you should exercise appropriate caution, especially in unfamiliar areas and especially after dark. Many guidebooks recommend driving with car doors and windows locked; driving to a lighted gas station to ask directions or to look at a map; not walking in unfamiliar areas; and not riding subways at night except with a group.

#### By Car

The main way into Chicago is along the Eisenhower Expressway (I-290), but if traffic is bad you can take I-355 or I-294 South to avoid traffic clogs and take the Stevenson North (I-55), which lets you off south of the Loop. The Stevenson is rarely as congested as the Eisenhower.

Once in the vicinity of downtown, you can go North-South either by the Kennedy Expressway (I-90/94), or by Lake Shore Drive - depending on your destination, of course.

Once you arrive at your destination, parking becomes the main concern. Many residential sections in the city enforce permit parking, which may allow you to park there without a permit during certain hours. There will be signs posted along these streets to tell you when you may park there without a permit. There is also metered parking along most non-residential streets, but a spot, particularly one near your destination, is often difficult to find. Some restaurants, clubs, and hotels will either have valet parking or a small parking lot, which may or may not be free to customers. Call ahead to check if a place has

parking available. There are also many commercial parking structures in the downtown area, but these can be very expensive depending on what time of day you arrive and how long you stay. For destinations near the Loop, you may want to use the parking structures underneath Grant Park.

#### By Train

There are three nearby METRA train stations, which will drop you off in Chicago, just west of the Loop:

- West Chicago Station: Go North on Rt. 59, turning left on Main St. in West Chicago (about 3 miles down, with a McDonald's on the right). The entrance to the station is a left just about 60 meters down just after the liquor store. This is on the Union Pacific West Metra line.
- Geneva Station: For those living on the West side of Fermilab. This is located on 3rd St. in Geneva, on the Southern edge of town. This is also on the Union Pacific West line, which ends at Elburn.
- Route 59 Station: Go South on Rt. 59 past I-88. After you pass North Aurora Rd. the road dips under the tracks, and there will be a road on the right before the next stoplight, which has a sign for the station. Turn right on this road and then right again at the station entrance farther down the road. This is the Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) line, which goes to Aurora.

The ride into Chicago normally takes about an hour and a quarter. Express trains, which make only a few stops along the way to Chicago, will arrive in less than an hour. The Union Pacific West line ends at the Ogilvie Transportation Center, at Madison St. and Canal St. in Chicago, just a few blocks north of Union Station. The BNSF goes to Union Station. Schedules are available on the web at <a href="http://www.metrarail.com/">http://www.metrarail.com/</a> or you can get full schedule information by calling 312-322-6777. Train schedules are different for Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays than they are for weekdays, so be sure to check the schedule and arrive at least a few minutes early for the train. There are discounted tickets for weekend travel.

Metra stations have parking lots where you can leave your car when you get on the train. Parking is free on weekends (from about 6 p.m. Fri night until about 5 a.m. Mon morning). On weekdays, there are some numbered spots in the parking lot (other spots are paid for by daily commuters), which anyone is allowed to use.

The cost of a ride all the way into Chicago is about \$7.50 one-way (from the Geneva station). Metra allows children under 12 to ride free when accompanied by an adult, and fares for children between 12 and 17 are half price on weekends and holidays. Metra also has an ongoing weekend special - buy an \$8 weekend pass, and it's good for unlimited rides on almost all Metra lines for both Sat. and Sun. If Mon. or Fri. is a national holiday, the weekend pass is good for that day in addition to Sat. and Sun. If you ride the train frequently on weekdays, you should look into purchasing a 10- or 20-ride ticket, which gives you a discounted price for each ride.

From the downtown train stations, you can walk east over the river into the Loop. There are plenty of buses and CTA trains going North and South from there. The nearest CTA station is two blocks directly south of Union Station (Blue line, Clinton St. stop).

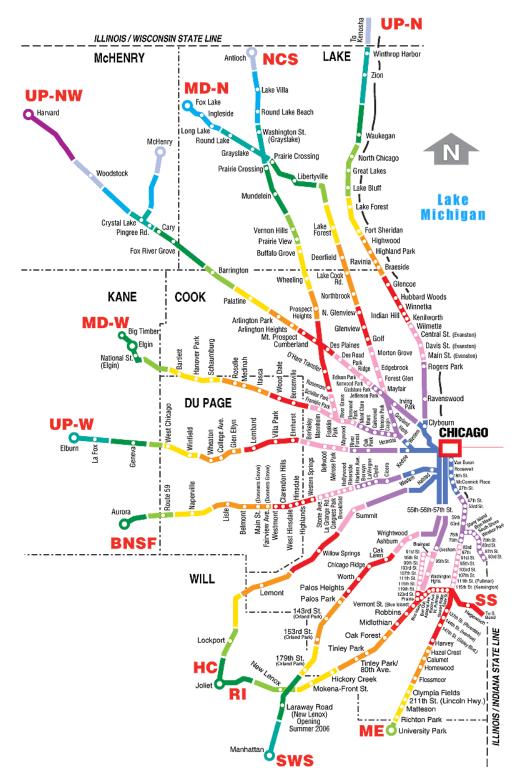


Figure 3: METRA system map.

## 5.2 Chicago Neighborhoods

#### Finding Your Way Around

If you don't have a smart phone, you might find getting a map is probably a good place to start. You can find lots of maps and Chicago guides in the local bookstores and gas stations. A Chicago 'Easy Finder' laminated street map can be found at most gas stations. The Speedway on the corner of Batavia Rd. and Rt. 59 has a good map selection.

#### Addresses

Chicago addresses are laid out in a grid system: streets generally have a name and a number such as Division Street (1200 North). Division Street goes East-West, and any address such as 1200 N. Clark Street or 1200 N. LaSalle Street is at the intersection with Division Street. Every 400 numbers is roughly a half-mile. The zero mark is the intersection of State and Madison Streets, located in the Loop near to the Lake.

#### Neighborhoods

A quick guide to the neighborhoods, starting downtown and proceeding progressively north.

#### Downtown and North Side Neighborhoods

• The Loop: This is Chicago's "Downtown", a core of primarily commercial, government, and cultural buildings - bounded on the North and West by the Chicago River, on the East by the Lake, and on the South by Roosevelt Road.

Features include the Sears Tower, Chicago Public Library and the Art Institute of Chicago. Out by the lake are Grant Park and Buckingham Fountain - just South of there is the Field Museum of Natural History, Shedd Aquarium, Soldier Field, and Adler Planetarium. The Eisenhower Expressway (I-290) dumps onto Congress Parkway near the Southern edge of the Loop.

**Near North:** This is the area just North of the Loop (i.e. past the Chicago River), up to around Division St. (1200N). North Michigan Avenue is known as the Magnificent Mile for the premiere shopping, dining, and hotels along and beside it. Here you will find the John Hancock building, the Water Tower Place Mall, Navy Pier, the Oak Street Beach, etc.

**Old Town:** West of Dearborn, principally on North Wells S.t (200W) between Division St. and North Avenue, is the nightlife district of Old Town, which contains many comedy-clubs such as Second City.

**Lincoln Park:** This is a fashionable residential neighborhood located north of North Avenue (1600N), bordered on the east by the huge park of the same name as far north as Diversey (2800N).

This subsumes the Lincoln Park Zoo: 2001 N. Clark St. (312) 742-2000. Free admission. It is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (<a href="http://www.lpzoo.com/">http://www.lpzoo.com/</a>)

**New Town:** A semi-gentrified quarter centering on Belmont (3200N) between Broadway (600W) and Sheffield (1000W). It has a significant artistic as well as gay/lesbian community.

**Lakeview:** North of Belmont is the area of Wrigley Field, home of the Chicago Cubs, and hence is also known as Wrigleyville. The field itself is 1060W Addison St. (by the B train Addison stop). The area around it has been built up with lots of nightclubs and restaurants.

**Wicker Park / Bucktown:** The neighborhood surrounding the Damen, North, and Milwaukee intersection is rich in artistic and hipster lifestyles. There are many good restaurants, bars, coffee shops, and music spots here.

**Korea town:** Located far north and west. The main drag is West Lawrence Ave. (4800N), between 2200W and 3600W.

**India-town:** Also located far north and west. The main drag is Devon, 6400 N, near Loyola University.

**Greektown**: Just west of the Loop is the Greek culinary center of the city, where you can find lots of good Greek restaurants and shops on Halstead between Adams and Monroe. You can get here by taking the second to last exit on I-290, which is Racine Ave.

**McCormick Place:** This is a gigantic convention center, which is located around Lake Shore Drive, right about where the Stevenson (I-55) exits. There are lots of expositions and such here that you might take interest in. (http://www.mccormickplace.com/)

**Old Chinatown:** Within the South Side is a small Chinatown with a long row of shops and restaurants along Wentworth Av. (300W) and Cermak Rd. (2200S). There is a local El stop for Chinatown as well.

**Hyde Park:** This is a small neighborhood around the University of Chicago and the Museum of Science and Industry. You can get to the Museum easily enough by Lake Shore Drive, getting off at 57<sup>th</sup> St., which is also a main drag for the University community. The main campus is many blocks West, just past Woodlawn Ave. (1200E) from 55<sup>th</sup> to 59<sup>th</sup> Sts.

## 5. 3 Opera and Classical Music

**Lyric Opera of Chicago:** Chicago boasts a world-class opera company with a season that runs from September through March, with additional musical offerings into April and May. Civic Opera Building, 20 N Upper Wacker Dr., Chicago, IL (312-332-2244, <a href="http://www.lyricopera.org">http://www.lyricopera.org</a>).

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra:** This noted orchestra plays from September to June at Symphony Center, 220 S Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL 60604 (312-294-3000, <a href="http://cso.org">http://cso.org</a>). Their summer home is Ravinia Park.

**Ravinia Festival:** Summer outdoor concerts of classical and popular music. Lawn seating (bring a picnic) is very reasonably priced. 200 Ravinia Park Rd., Highland Park, IL 60035 (847-266-5000, <a href="https://www.ravinia.org">www.ravinia.org</a>).

**Millenium Park Concerts**: This free series throughout the warmer months presents symphonic music, dance, opera, Broadway hits and more at the outdoor Jay Pritziker pavilion at Millenium Park, 201 E. Randolph St., Chicago, IL 60601

http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dca/supp\_info/millennium\_park\_-upcomingevents.html

For more Chicago entertainment events, consult websites such as <a href="http://chicago.metromix.com/">http://chicago.metromix.com/</a> or <a href="http://www.timeout.com/chicago">http://chicago.metromix.com/</a> or <a href="http://www.timeout.com/chicago">http://chicago.metromix.com/</a> or <a href="http://www.timeout.com/chicago">http://chicago.metromix.com/</a> or <a href="http://www.timeout.com/chicago">http://www.timeout.com/chicago</a>

**Light Opera Works**: This company performs several light opera works and musicals each year. 516 4th Street, Wilmette, IL 60091-2829 (847-920-5360, <a href="http://lightoperaworks.org/">http://lightoperaworks.org/</a>).

In the suburbs near Fermilab:

**DuPage Symphony Orchestra**: This community orchestra offers most of the fall-spring season concerts at Wentz Hall, North Central College, Naperville, and summer concerts at local parks, and includes several Fermilab employees (630-778-1003, www.dupagesymphony.org/info@dupagesymphony.org).

**Fox Valley Orchestra**: This community orchestra offers concerts at the Batavia Fine Arts Center, 1201 Main St., Batavia, and at Crimi Auditorium at Aurora University, 407 S. Calumet Ave, Aurora (630-891-2526, www.foxvalleyorchestra.org).

**Elgin Symphony Orchestra:** is a regional orchestra headquartered at 20 Du Page Ct., Elgin, IL 60120 (847-888-4000, <a href="www.elginsymphony.org">www.elginsymphony.org</a>).

#### 5.4 Museums

#### **5.4.1 Local Museums**

- Geneva History Museum 630-232-4951, 113 S 3rd St., Geneva (4 miles)
- Schingoethe Native American Museum 630-844-5402, Randall Road & Marseillaise Place, Aurora (4.8 miles)
- Aurora Historical Museum 630-897-9029, 305 Cedar St., Aurora (5.0 miles)
- Aurora Regional Fire Museums 630-892-1572, 53 N Broadway, Aurora (5.4 miles)
- Aurora Historical Society David L. Pierce Art and History Center 630-906-0650, 20 E Downer Place, Aurora (5.5 miles)
- Grand Army-Republic Memorial 630-897-7221, 23 E Downer Pl., Aurora (5.5 miles)
- Scitech 630-859-3434, 18 W Benton Street, Aurora, IL (5.5 miles)
- Preservation Partners of the Fox Valley
   630-377-6424 includes Beith House, 8 Indiana St., St. Charles (5.1 miles)
   Fabyan Villa, 1511 S Batavia Ave, Geneva
   Durant House Museum, 37W700 Dean Street, St. Charles
- Dunham-Hunt Museum 630-443-6733, 304 Cedar Ave, St.Charles (5.4 miles)
- Garfield Farm Museum 630-584-8485, 3N016 Garfield Rd, St. Charles (6.2 miles)

- West Chicago Historical Society 630-231-0564, 527 Main Street, West Chicago (7.2 miles)
- Air Classics Museum 630-466-0888, 43W776 Rte 30, Sugar Grove (7.2 miles)
- Cantigny Foundation 630-668-5161, 1s151 Winfield Rd., Wheaton (7.9 miles)
- Warrenville Historical Society 630-393-4215, 3S530 2nd St., Warrenville (8.0 miles)
- Kline Creek Farm 630-876-5900, 1N600 County Farm Road, Winfield (9.5 miles)
- Naper Settlement 630-420-6010, 523 S. Webster St., Naperville
- DuPage Children's Museum 630-637-8000 301 N. Washington St., Naperville

#### 5.4.2 Chicago Museums

- The Field Museum: 1400 S. Lake Shore Drive, 312-922-9410. Check online for ticket prices and current schedule. Check online for discount days with \$7 admission. It opens daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (<a href="http://www.fieldmuseum.org/">http://www.fieldmuseum.org/</a>)
- The Shedd Aquarium: Has many exhibits in different parts of the building; you can choose to buy a ticket for some combination of those exhibits. Check online for ticket prices and current schedule. They do offer some free and discount days (typically Mon and Tues). Check online at <a href="http://www.sheddaquarium.org/">http://www.sheddaquarium.org/</a>.
- The Adler Planetarium: 1300 S. Lake Shore Dr., 312-922-STAR. Check online for ticket prices and current schedule. Normal daily hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; on the first Friday of every month they stay open until 10 p.m. They also have free admission on some Mon. and Tues.; check online at <a href="http://www.adlerplanetarium.org/">http://www.adlerplanetarium.org/</a>.
- The Museum of Science and Industry: 57th St. and Lake Shore Dr., 773-684-1414. Free days are some Mon and Tues; check online for ticket prices and current schedule. Hours are typically 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. (<a href="http://www.msichicago.org/">http://www.msichicago.org/</a>)
- The Art Institute of Chicago: 111 S. Michigan Ave., 312-443-3600. Check online for ticket prices and current schedule. Hours are typically 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays are free, although some exhibits may require a special ticket to enter. (<a href="http://www.artic.edu/aic/">http://www.artic.edu/aic/</a>)
- The Willis (Sears) Tower Skydeck: It's fun to go up and pull off a Ferris Buehler, standing on the ledge of a tilting glass enclosure and looking straight down. For a time, the (then-named) Sears Tower held the title of the tallest man-made structure on the planet. (http://theskydeck.com)
- Chicago Public Library, Harold Washington Library Center: 400 S State St., 312-747-4300. Free admission, with free public tours of this historic building. (Call 312-747-4136 for information on

tours.) Open Mon. –Thurs. 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (<a href="http://www.chipublib.org/">http://www.chipublib.org/</a>)

- Magnificent Mile: Find out about special events like the Winter Holiday Lights Festival and the Spring Tulip Days! (<a href="http://www.themagnificentmile.com/default.cfm">http://www.themagnificentmile.com/default.cfm</a>)
- Hancock Observatory: Newly renovated, located at the John Hancock Center, 875 N. Michigan Ave., open 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Check online for ticket prices and schedule. For information call 888-875-VIEW or check online at <a href="http://www.hancock-observatory.com/">http://www.hancock-observatory.com/</a>.
- Museum of Contemporary Art: 220 East Chicago Ave., 312-280-2660. Hours are Tues. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. (admission is free from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.), Wed. Sun. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Check online for ticket prices and current schedule. (http://www.mcachicago.org/)
- Water Tower Place Mall: Open Mon. to Fri. 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and Sun. 12 p.m. to 6 p.m. (http://www.shopwatertower.com/)
- Navy Pier: IMAX theater, exhibitions, places to eat, park. Many boat tours around the Lake and the Chicago River leave from here. (http://www.navypier.com)
- Chicago Children's Museum: Navy Pier, 700 E Grand Ave. 312-527-1000. (http://www.chicagochildrensmuseum.org).
- Oak Street Beach: 1000 N. Lake Shore Drive, just north of the Mag Mile. Great for all kinds of outdoor sports, with a wide sandy beach perfect for sunbathing.

## 5.5 Theater Scene and Other Things to Do in Chicago

Theater: Chicago has a lively theater scene with small theaters, medium ones, community based, and large nationally known theater companies. The range of live theater is very broad. Two must-visit sites give you a good idea of what's available and how to get reduced or half price tickets....

#### League of Chicago Theaters (http://leagueofchicagotheatres.org/resources.html)

The League of Chicago Theatres is proud to serve a membership of more than 200 theatres, a rich and varied theatre community ranging from storefront, non-union theatres with budgets under \$10,000 to major cultural centers with multi-million dollar shows. No other theatre service organization in the country has such a diverse theatre membership. They are dedicated to enhancing the art of theatre in the Chicago area through audience development, professional development and support services for theatres and theatre professionals. Find frequently updated jobs, auditions, and other valuable resources for Chicago theatre artists, administrators and theatre companies.

#### Goldstar (<a href="http://www.goldstar.com/chicago">http://www.goldstar.com/chicago</a>)

They help people get out more to live entertainment, like theater, comedy, sports, music, performing arts and even things like wine tastings, sushi making classes and rodeos. You sign up with a free membership and gain access to over 4,000 venues, which are listing their events and performances on the site.

But you don't have to go all the way to Chicago to get good live theater!

#### **Paramount Theater**

20 minutes away in Aurora, there are two great theaters. The Paramount Theater (<a href="http://paramountaurora.com/events/">http://paramountaurora.com/events/</a>) is a restored, beautiful and large performing arts venue. They love doing large scale musicals which last season included Cats, Les Miserables, Mary Poppins and they are great! You can purchase a season pass to the four show series for under \$100 (<a href="http://paramountaurora.com/series/broadway/">http://paramountaurora.com/series/broadway/</a>). The 2015-16 season is scheduled to show Oklahoma, A Christmas Story, Hairspray, and West Side Story. There is plenty of free parking in the streets around the theater. You can't live in the area and not take advantage of this great resource.

Copley Theater: Across the street from the Paramount and part of it is the Copley Theater (<a href="http://paramountaurora.com/events/menopause-musical/">http://paramountaurora.com/events/menopause-musical/</a>) - a smaller, very modern site which last season was home to "Menopause the Musical."

If you want to see good amateur theater, one of the local high schools has an outstanding drama club and has won many state awards. Wego Drama (<a href="http://www.wegotheatre.com/Site/Welcome.html">http://www.wegotheatre.com/Site/Welcome.html</a>) has performed an array of wonderful theater including, "Evita" this last season. Part of Chicago High School District 94 in West Chicago. The performances are open to the public and the tickets are usually very reasonable.

#### **The Summer Place**

In Naperville, has been Naperville's Community Theatre since 1966 and has a mission is to provide a vehicle for the community to participate and enjoy quality theatre. They perform in the Naperville Central High School Auditorium. Summer 2015 offerings include, "William Shakespeare's Land of the Dead" and "Camelot." (<a href="http://summerplacetheatre.com/">http://summerplacetheatre.com/</a>)

Obviously, there is no such thing as a definitive list of things to do in Chicago. There are many theaters, restaurants, bars, nightclubs, jazz clubs, museums, historical spots, festivals, and so on for everyone and every interest. The places highlighted in the previous sections are only some of the most popular tourist attractions. The best way to find something fun to do in Chicago is to check things out online, talk to other grad students with similar interests, or just pick something new to try! Below are a few websites with information on Chicago events:

- City of Chicago: <a href="http://cityofchicago.org/">http://cityofchicago.org/</a>
- Chicago Events listing by Citysearch: <a href="http://chicago.citysearch.com/">http://chicago.citysearch.com/</a>
- Chicago Sun-Times Events Calendar: http://www.suntimes.com/calendar/

But above all, whatever you do, make sure to explore Chicago while you're here. You can't spend ALL your time at the lab working!

## **Appendix 1: Preschool and Elementary Schools**

• Four Winds Waldorf School 630-836-9400 30W160 Calumet Avenue W, Warrenville, IL 60555

Gingercare Christian Academy
 630-631-0180
 2850 Ginger Woods Pkwy, Aurora, IL 60502

Kindercare Learning Centers
630-983 9988
1550 W Diehl Rd, Naperville, IL 60563

Kindercare Learning Centers 630-232-1703
1400 Hill Rd, Geneva, IL 60134

Montessori Academy
630-879-2586
595 S River St, Batavia, IL 60510-2602

Mansio Mens Montessori School
630-232-6750
102 Howard St, Geneva, IL 60134

Kindercare Learning Centers
630-499-7911
3044 Weber Dr, Aurora, IL 60504

Chesterbrook Academy
630-513-8282
600 Courtyard Dr, St Charles, IL 60174

Learning Is Fun Preschools
630-357-4836
1313 N Mill St, Naperville, IL 60563-2522

Chesterbrook Academy
630-527-0835
1587 Oswego Rd, Naperville, IL 60540

Polka Dot Dragon Preschool
630-801-4868
11 S Lincolnway, North Aurora, IL 60542-1608

Kindercare Learning Centers
630-820-0220
745 Long Grove Dr, Aurora, IL 60504

Kindercare Learning Centers
630-232-1699
2323 Fargo Blvd, Geneva, IL 60134

LA Petite Academy
 630-232-4890
 2423 Fargo Blvd, Geneva, IL 60134

# • KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTERS 630-978-9178 4335 Montgomery Rd, Naperville, IL 60564

Wheaton Montessori School
630-653-5100
1970 N Gary Ave, Wheaton, IL 60187
All About Children
630-357-2050
1260 Iroquois Ave, Naperville, IL 60563

Chesterbrook Academy 866-524-41424780 Karns Ave, Lisle, IL 60532

St John Lutheran Preschool & Kindergarten
630-668-0701
125 E Seminary Ave, Wheaton, IL, 60187-5398

Compass School of Naperville
630-983-9190
1128 Compass Ct, Naperville, IL 60540

Montessori Unlimited in Warrenville 630-904-5399 2936 Artesian Road, Naperville, IL 60540

Carmel Montessori Academy 630-392-3995 3S238 Rt. 59, Warrenville, IL

## **Appendix 2: Middle Schools/ Junior High Schools**

West Chicago Middle School
630-293-6060
238 E Hazel St, West Chicago, IL 60185

Rotolo Middle School
630-879-4620
1501 S Raddant Rd, Batavia, IL 60510

Francis Granger Middle School
630-375-1010
2721 Stonebridge Blvd, Aurora, IL 60502

Jefferson Junior High
630-420-6363
1525 N Loomis St, Naperville, IL 60540

• Thayer J Hill Middle School 630-428-6200 1836 Brookdale Rd, Naperville, IL 60563

C F Simmons Middle School
630-898-8965
1130 Sheffer Rd, Aurora, IL 60505

Cowherd Middle School
630-978-3760
441 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 60505

• Wredling Middle School 630-443-3360 1200 Dunham Rd, St Charles, IL 60174

Jeffrey C Still Middle School
630-375-3900
787 Meadowridge Dr, Aurora, IL 60504

Monroe Middle School
630-682-2285
1855 Manchester Rd, Wheaton, IL 60187

Haines Junior High School
630-377-4827
305 S 9th St, St Charles, IL 60174

Thompson Middle School630-377-4872705 W Main St, St Charles, IL 60174

Washington Junior High School
630-420-6390
201 N Washington St, Naperville, IL 60540

- Geneva Middle School 630-463-3600 1415 Viking Dr, Geneva, IL 60134
- K D Waldo Middle School 630-898-8820 56 Jackson St, Aurora, IL 60505
- Edison Middle School 630-682-2050 1125 S Wheaton Ave, Wheaton, IL 60187
- Jewel Middle School
  630-264-4700
  1501 Waterford Rd, North Aurora, IL 60542
- Hubble Middle School
   630-682-2160
   603 S Main St, Wheaton, IL 60187
- Franklin Middle School 630-682-2060 211 E Franklin St, Wheaton, IL 60187
- Jefferson Middle School630-844-45351151 Plum St, Aurora, IL 60506
- Lincoln Junior High School
  630-420-6370
  1320 Olympus Dr, Naperville, IL 60565

## **Appendix 3: High Schools**

- Community High School Dist 94 630-231-0880
  326 Joliet St, West Chicago, IL 60185
- Indian Plains High School
  630-375-3375
  1322 N Eola Rd, Aurora, IL 60502
- Marmion Academy
   630-897-6936
   1000 Butterfield Rd, Aurora, IL 60502-9742
- Batavia Senior High School
  630-879-4600
  1200 W Wilson St, Batavia, IL 60510
- Geneva Community High School
  630-463-3000
  416 Mckinley Ave, Geneva, IL 60134
- St Charles East High School
  630-584-1100
  1020 Dunham Rd, St Charles, IL 60174
- St Francis High School
  630-668-5800
  2130 W Roosevelt Rd, Wheaton, IL 60187
- Naperville North High School
  630-420-6480
  899 N Mill St, Naperville, IL 60563
- Waubonsie Valley High School 630-375-3300 2590 Ogden Ave, Aurora, IL 60504
- Naperville Central High School 630-420-6420 440 Aurora Ave, Naperville, IL 60540
- Bartlett High School
  630-372-4700
  701 W Schick Rd, Bartlett, IL 60103
- East High School 630-898-0962 500 Tomcat Ln, Aurora, IL 60505
- Wheaton North High School
  630-784-7300
  701 W Thomas Rd, Wheaton, IL 60187

• West Aurora High School 630-844-4600 1201 W New York St, Aurora, IL 60506

## **Appendix 4: Colleges and Universities in the Immediate Area or Near Chicago**

The University of Chicago Edward H. Levi Hall 5801 South Ellis Avenue Chicago, IL 60637 773-702-1234 (http://www.uchicago.edu/)

University of Chicago Tuition Remission Program for Fermilab Families

Dependent children of regular, full-time employees of Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory are eligible for the tuition remission program at the University of Chicago.

#### **Description of Benefit for Undergraduate Studies**

If your child is accepted and enrolls as an undergraduate student at the University of Chicago, this benefit allows you (or your child) to pay half of the undergraduate tuition. For purposes of this benefit, the term "children" includes unmarried natural or adopted children, stepchildren, or children for whom you are the legal guardian. You must claim the child as a dependent for federal income tax purposes.

This benefit only covers 50% of the stated tuition charge at the University. It does not cover separately stated fees such as application fees, room and board charges, laboratory and other special fees charged for particular courses or programs, whether required or not, or any other incidental fees. Each eligible child may receive a total of 50% tuition reimbursement.

In no case will the tuition benefit provided through the program, combined with any other tuition aid and assistance provided, allow an employee to recover more than 100% of the stated tuition.

The maximum period of this benefit is 12 quarters. If your child withdraws from the University during a quarter for which tuition has been paid, that quarter will be counted toward the 12-quarter maximum, unless the tuition paid by you is refunded in full. This benefit will terminate as of the earliest date on which the following occurs:

- 1. Your child receives a bachelor's degree
- 2. You are no longer employed by Fermilab
- 3. The 12-quarter maximum is reached
- 4. Your child marries
- 5. Your child is no longer treated as your dependent
- 6. The University of Chicago terminates this benefit.

To enroll in the program, complete the Tuition Remission form (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/Tuition\_Remission\_enrollment.pdf">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/Tuition\_Remission\_enrollment.pdf</a>) and the affidavit (<a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/dependent\_affidavit.pdf">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/train-dev/dependent\_affidavit.pdf</a>). Submit both forms to MS 124.

If you have any questions, contact the Office of Professional Development.

#### College of DuPage (http://www.cod.edu/)

1223 Rickert Drive, Naperville, IL 60540 630-942-4700 Also 425 Fawell Blvd., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137 (Main Campus) 630-942-2800

College of DuPage (C.O.D.) is the comprehensive community college for Illinois Community College District 502, located 35 miles west of downtown Chicago in the village of Glen Ellyn. Since its founding in 1967, the college has graduated more than a half million students. C.O.D. has become the largest single campus community college in the United States.

#### Benedictine University: (http://www.ben.edu/)

5700 College Road, Lisle, IL 60532 630-829-3700

An academic community committed to liberal arts and professional education guided by a Roman Catholic tradition. It has undergraduate and graduate programs.

### Elmhurst College: (http://www.elmhurst.edu)

190 Prospect Avenue, Elmhurst, IL 60126-3296

630-617-3500 or 630-279-4100

Founded in 1871, Elmhurst is a private, four-year college affiliated with the United Church of Christ. The curriculum combines liberal learning and professional preparation to equip students for lifelong learning, service and achievement. It has a wide range of programs at undergraduate and graduate level. The College offers 59 majors and 15 graduate programs. It boasts a student-to-faculty ratio of 13:1. The average class has 17 students; the largest class, about 35 students.

#### North Central College: (http://www.noctrl.edu)

30 N. Brainard St., Naperville, IL 60566 630-637-5100 or 800-411-1861

North Central College is an independent, comprehensive college of the liberal arts and sciences affiliated with The United Methodist Church. Founded in 1861, the College is recognized as one of "America's Best Colleges" and "Best College Values" by U.S. News & World Report, is ranked among the "top choices for top students" by Peterson's Competitive Colleges, and has been called one of the "Best Buys in College Education" today by the editors of Barron's 300.

Wheaton College: (http://www.wheaton.edu/) 501 College Ave., Wheaton, IL 60187-5593 630-752-5000

Wheaton College is a private, interdenominational Christian college established in Wheaton, Illinois in 1860 as a coed institution. It has approximately 2,300 under- graduate students (51% female, 49% male; 13% are multicultural) from all 50 states and approximately 400 graduate students, many from countries overseas.

#### Waubonsee Community College: (http://www.waubonsee.edu/)

Sugar Grove Campus, Rt. 47 at Waubonsee Drive, Sugar Grove, IL 60554-9495 630-466-7900

Also Aurora Campus, 18 S. River St., Aurora, IL, 60506-4134 630-801-7900

Also Copley Campus (Route 34 on Rush-Copley Campus), 2060 Ogden Avenue, Aurora, IL 60504-7222, 630-585-7900

Established in 1966, WCC is a public, comprehensive community college which was organized in 1966, as mandated by the Illinois Community College Act, to provide education and training services for individuals in portions of Kane, Kendall, DeKalb, LaSalle and Will counties of District 516. The philosophy of Waubonsee Community College is based on the premise that education is the cornerstone of a literate, democratic society; that learning is a lifelong process; and that the pursuit of knowledge must be supported by institutional policies that demonstrate the values of quality, value, innovation, service and accessibility

<u>Aurora University</u>: (http://www.aurora.edu) 347 S. Gladstone Ave., Aurora, IL 60506 630-892-6431

Aurora University is an independent, comprehensive university offering undergraduate and graduate degree programs and specialized courses. The main campus is in Aurora and there are two additional campuses—on Michigan Avenue in downtown Chicago and along Lake Geneva in Williams Bay, Wisconsin. The average age of the students is 24 for undergraduates and 31 for graduate students. AU is organized into five schools: University College of Arts and Sciences, George Williams College, School of Business and Professional Studies, School of Nursing, and New College: A Center for Lifelong and Professional Education. AU is a member of the NCAA Division III and participates in six men's and five women's intercollegiate sports.

#### More public universities in other counties in addition to DuPage and Kane:

- Chicago State University (http://www.csu.edu)
- Eastern Illinois University (http://www.eiu.edu)
- Governors State University (http://www.govst.edu)
- Illinois Institute of Art (<a href="http://ilia.aii.edu">http://ilia.aii.edu</a>)
- Lincoln Land Community College (<a href="http://www.llcc.edu/">http://www.llcc.edu/</a>)
- Northeastern Illinois University (http://www.neiu.edu)
- Northern Illinois University (<a href="http://www.niu.edu">http://www.niu.edu</a>)
- Southern Illinois University (<a href="http://www.siu.edu">http://www.siu.edu</a>)
- University of Illinois (http://www.uillinois.edu)
- Western Illinois University (<a href="http://www.wiu.edu">http://www.wiu.edu</a>)

# **Appendix 5: Restaurants**

#### **LUNCH PLACES NEARBY**

There are a number of places close to the Lab for take-out food and/or lunch. Here are some of the closest and most often frequented places nearby:

#### • East

To the east, a cluster of fast-food restaurants and shops on the corner of Route 59 and Batavia Ave provide convenient places to grab a bite to eat.

- Speedway Plaza (Route 59 and Batavia Road)
- Shell Plaza (Route 59 and Batavia Road)
- Rosati's Pizza 630-393-9393. Cheap, good sandwiches, pasta, and arguably one of the better pizza places around, although the pizzas can get pricey. They also deliver on-site-for a small fee.
- McDonald's 630-393-6685.
- Subway Sandwiches & Salads 630-393-1782.
- Family Foods Plaza (Route 59 and Batavia Road)
- Burger King 630-393-6009. Very inexpensive.
- East China Inn 630-836-9600. Cheap at lunch. Expensive at dinner time. The quality of the food is regular. Slightly more expensive, but still well less than \$10/person at lunch.
- Thai Place 630-836-9774 nice place good thai food.
- Sweet Potato Cafe 630-393-9058 breakfast and lunch basic menu.

#### • Further down Rte 59

- China House 630-393-3828. 2s676 Route 59, Warrenville. Cheap and good at lunch and dinner time.
- Al's Pizza 630-393-9630. 28w241 Warrenville Rd, Warrenville.
- Dairy Queen 630-393-2277. 3s071 Route 59, Warrenville.

#### • West

To the west, you have to proceed along Wilson St. into downtown Batavia.

- Taco Grande 630-406-8415. 6 N. River St, Batavia. Good Mexican food. Great burritos. Moderate prices.
- Domino's Pizza 630-879-1919. 127 State St, Batavia.
- Subway 630-406-0990. 324 E Wilson St, Batavia.
- McDonald's 630-879-0024. 125 W Wilson St, Batavia.
- Burger King 630-879-0823. 107 N Batavia Ave, Batavia.
- Water Street Cafe (Lincoln Inn)- 630-406-1221. 1345 S. Batavia Avenue, Batavia.
- Dairy Queen 630-406-6922. 1134 W Wilson St, Batavia.
- Fantastico Italian Restaurant 630-879-5900. 102 N River St, Batavia. Good American-Italian food and moderate prices
- Pal Joey's 630-231-9393, 440 East Roosevelt Rd., West Chicago, Italian,

#### **RESTAURANT LISTING BY TYPE FOOD**

The distance in miles corresponds from downtown Warrenville.

#### Asian Restaurants

• Dinhua Asian Cuisine

630-231-1330

1939 Franciscan Way, West Chicago, IL 4.66 mi

• Crazy Bowl

630-369-2222

796 Royal Saint George Dr, Naperville, IL 5.59 mi

• Feng Shui

630-718-0088

200 E 5th Ave Ste 101, Naperville, IL 6.84 mi

• Joy Yee Noodle

630-579-6800

1163 E Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 7.40 mi

• Dragon Restaurant

630-231-9888

125 W Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 2.18 mi

• King's Wok

630-862-3833

3150 N Aurora Rd, Aurora, IL 3.92 mi

• Panda Express

630-862-2810

848 N Route 59, Aurora, IL 4.54 mi

• Wok Inn Restaurant

630-851-6613

1167 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 4.79 mi

• Silver Lake Restaurant

630-587-1888

518 Kirk Rd, St Charles, IL 4.91 mi

• Lanna Thai Cuisine

630-836-9774

2s535 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.18 mi

• Thai Village Cuisine

630-879-5495

4 N Batavia Ave, Batavia, IL 4.66 mi

Vinothai

630-443-8461

3825 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.03 mi

• Lemon Grass

630-355-7420

1224 W Ogden Ave Ste D, Naperville, IL 5.22 mi

• Le Siam

630-718-9725

376 S State Route 59, Naperville, IL 5.28 mi

• Thai Lotus Restaurant

630-851-2639

375 S Route 59, Aurora, IL 6.09 mi

#### Steak Houses

• Great Steak & Potato Company

630-978-9655

1650 Premium Outlet Blvd Ste 1205, Aurora, IL 3.67 mi

• TGI Friday's

630-851-6565

888 N Route 59, Aurora, IL 4.54 mi

Foxfire

630-232-1369

17 W State St, Geneva, IL 4.97 mi

• Chili's Grill & Bar

630-355-0566

264 S State Route 59, Naperville, IL 5.03 mi

· Outback Steakhouse

630-778-6290

2855 W Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 5.90 mi

• Applebee's Neighborhood Grill

630-232-2280

1690 S Randall Rd, Geneva, IL 6.65 mi

#### **Bistros**

• Spring Mexican, American (Traditional) Restaurant

630-778-0808

572 Weston Ridge Dr., Naperville, IL 4.16 mi

• The Berry House

630-232-2330

227 S 3rd St, Geneva, IL 5.10 mi

• Evenflow Music & spirits

630-232-9302

302 W State St, Geneva, IL 5.16 mi

#### **Brew Pubs**

- Two Brothers Brewery 630-393-2337 30W315 Calumet Ave W, Warrenville, IL
- Two Brothers Roundhouse 630-264.2739 205 N. Broadway, Aurora IL
- Towne Tap Incorporated 630-393-1633 28w247 Warrenville Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.16 mi
- Rock Bottom Restaurant
  630-836-1380
  28256 Diehl Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.79 mi
- Cobblestone Road Tavern
  630-231-1282
  218 Main St, West Chicago, IL 3.05 mi
- Stop-Lite Inn
   630-879-8202
   105 E Wilson St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi

Claddagh Pubs of Geneva LLC 1702 Commons Dr, Geneva, IL 630-208-0337 (4.30 miles)

#### Cafes

• Starbucks (lots in the entire area) 630-236-9612 2849 E New York St, Aurora, IL 5.28 mi

#### Creole & Cajun Restaurants

- Cajun Cafe & Grill
   630-585-0860
   148 Fox Valley Ctr, Aurora, IL 5.47 mi
- Heaven on Seven
  630-717-0777
  224 S Main St, Naperville, IL 6.90 mi

#### **Delis**

- Augustino's Deli & Catering
  630-293-8602
  300 W North Ave, West Chicago, IL 4.60 mi
- Deli & Gourmet Grocery
  630-393-9900
  4320 Winfield Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.66 mi

Jake's Bagels & Deli
630-978-0332
1010 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 4.91 mi

#### **French Restaurants**

- Le Berry Bistro
  630-232-2330
  227 S 3rd St, Geneva, IL 5.10 mi
- Chez Francois
  630-262-1000
  14 S 3rd St, Geneva, IL 5.16 mi
- L'Anne 630-260-1234 221 W Front St, Wheaton, IL 7.89 mi

#### **Greek Restaurants**

- Manor Restaurant630-584-24691 W Main St, St Charles, IL 6.46 mi
- Smiley's Gyros & Beef 630-832-4006 1270 Rickert Dr, Naperville, IL 7.15 mi
- Westside Gyros 630-892-1592 930 W Illinois Ave, Aurora, IL 7.77 mi
- Greek Corner
  630-980-5570
  138 E Army Trail Rd, Glendale Heights, IL 11.00 mi

#### **Indian Restaurants**

- Indian Harvest 630-579-9500 1021 W Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 5.53 mi
- Swagat Indian Cuisine
  630-420-7565
  1570 W Ogden Ave Ste 101, Naperville, IL 5.53 mi
- Cuisine of India
   630-548-9440
   1163 E Ogden Ave Ste 131, Naperville, IL 7.52 mi
- India Palace Restaurant
  630-681-8002
  242 E Geneva Rd, Wheaton, IL 8.51 mi

- Masala
  630-393-4000
  28331 Dodge Drive, Warrenville, IL 5.5 mi
- Taste of Himalaya
   630-444-1575
   110 N. 3rd St., St. Charles, IL

#### Irish Restaurants

- Bennigan's
  630-513-7552
  3615 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.10 mi
- McNally's Irish Pub
   630-513-6300
   109W Main St, St Charles, IL 11.11 mi
- Claddagh Pubs of Geneva LLC 630-208-0337
  1702 Commons Dr, Geneva, IL 7.15 mi
- Shannon's Irish Pub
  630-790-9080
  428 N Main St, Glen Ellyn, IL 10.57 mi
- Ballydoyle Irish Pub & Rstrnt
  630-969-0600
  5157 Main St, Downers Grove, IL 14.29

#### **Italian Restaurants**

- Pasta Al Sugo
  630-393-2704
  2S501 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.18 mi
- Roma D'Italia Incorporated
  630-393-2111
  3s015 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.30 mi
- Amato's Pizza
   630-236-0055
   3150 N Aurora Rd, Aurora, IL 3.92 mi
- Fantastico Italian Restaurant
  630-879-5900
  102 N River St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi
- Luigi's House
  630-375-6400
  778 N Route 59, Aurora, IL 4.60 mi
- Francescas by the River 630-587-8221 200 S 2nd St, St Charles, IL

• Sbarro 630-377-9587 3800 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.16 mi

Papa Saverio's
630-845-5555
605 W State St, Geneva, IL 5.41 mi

Olive Garden
 630-355-2818
 620 S State Route 59, Naperville, IL 5.41 mi

#### Japanese Restaurants

Kiku Japanese Steakhouse
630-305-3355
2764 Aurora Ave, Naperville, IL 5.34 mi

House of Tokyo
630-587-8711
2762 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.47 mi

• Shogun Japanese Steak House

630-416-0871 596 S State Route 59, Naperville, IL 5.59 mi

• Sushi Yama 630-443-8890 2400 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.59 mi

Swordfish
 630-406-6463
 207 N Randall Rd, Batavia, IL 6.46 mi

• Jurin Japanese Restaurant 630-262-9590 177720 S Randall Rd Ste 190, Geneva, IL 6.59 m

#### **Mexican Restaurants**

• El Tesoro 630-293-0190 129 W Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 2.18 m

• La Villita Tacos 630-293-9666 956 E Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 3.05 mi

Pepe's Mexican Restaurant
630-231-0510
320 S Neltnor Blvd, West Chicago, IL 3.36 mi

- Taqueria Los Potrillos
  630-876-1135
  110 S Neltnor Blvd, West Chicago, IL 3.48 mi
- El Taco Grande
  630-406-8415
  N River St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi
- Salsa Verde630-444-06731850 Lincoln Hwy, St Charles, IL
- On the Border Mexican Grill
  331-472 8740
  1915 Glacier Park, Naperville, IL 4.85 mi
- Chipotle Mexican Grill
  630-836-0016
  28251 Diehl Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.85 mi
- Taco Bell
   630-898-3307
   1000 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 4.97 mi
- El Burrito Loco 630-585-9095 880 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 5.10 mi

#### **Pizza**

- Rosati's Pizza
   630-393-9393
   2S610 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.18 mi
- Arnie's Pizza
   630-393-4040
   2S676 State Route 59 Unit 1, Warrenville, IL 2.24 mi
- Al's Pizza 630-393-9630 28W241 Warrenville Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.16 mi
- Pizza Hut630-293-3700150 W Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 2.18 mi
- Domino's Pizza
   630-562-3030
   560 Main St, West Chicago, IL 3.29 mi
- O'Lando's Pizza 630-293-9200 334 S Neltnor Blvd Ste G, West Chicago, IL 3.36 mi

- Taylor Street Pizza
  630-637-1200
  535 Fairway Dr, Naperville, IL 4.23 mi
- Amato's Pizza
   630-236-0055
   3150 N Aurora Rd, Aurora, IL 3.92 mi
- Domino's Pizza
  630-879-1919
  127 State St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi
- Rosati's Pizza
   630-879-2992
   334 E Wilson St, Batavia, IL 4.10 mi
- Genoa Pizza
  630-232-8646
  705 E State St # 3, Geneva, IL 4.29 mi
- Pizza Hut
  630-232-0888
  513 S 3rd St, Geneva, IL 5.03 mi
- MacIano's Pizza 630-966-9090 746 Butterfield Rd, North Aurora, IL 4.60 mi
- Aurelio's Pizza
   630-262-8440
   330W State St, Geneva, IL 5.28 mi
- Rosati's Pizza 630-513-9222 550 Kirk Rd, St Charles, IL 4.85 mi
- Little Caesars Pizza
  630-820-8033
  1006 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 4.91 mi
- Papa John's Pizza
  630-305-7272
  1220 W Ogden Ave Ste 104, Naperville, IL 5.28 mi

#### **Seafood Restaurants**

- Red Lobster Restaurant
   630-898-5782
   1036 N Route 59, Aurora, IL 4.66 mi
- Long John Silver's
   630-898-0682
   4416 E New York St, Aurora, IL 5.34 mi

- Chinn's 34th St Fisheries
   630-637-1777
   3011 Ogden Ave, Lisle, IL 8.20 mi
- Succulent Seafood Incorporated
  630-548-3474
  192 W Gartner Rd # 104, Naperville, IL 7.96 mi
- Catch 35 Naperville
  630-717-3500
  35 S Washington St, Naperville, IL 6.90 mi
- Foster's Shrimp House (847) 891-8500 1706 W Wise Rd, Schaumburg, IL 12.06 mi

#### **Spanish Restaurants**

- Meson Sabika
  630-983-3000
  1025 Aurora Ave, Naperville, IL 6.46 mi
- La Campana
  630-924-8699
  306 W Army Trail Rd, Bloomingdale, IL 9.88 mi

#### **Subs & Sandwiches**

- Subway Sandwiches & Salads
  - -630-393-1782
- 2s610 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.18 mi
  - 630-416-0111
- 1550 N State Route 59 Ste 21, Naperville, IL 3.48 mi
  - -630-406-0990
- 324 E Wilson St, Batavia, IL 4.10 mi
  - 630-262-1418
- 1459 E State St, Geneva, IL 3.60 mi
  - -630-236-1234
- 170 Fox Valley Ctr, Aurora, IL 5.47 mi
  - 630-717-0070
- 931 E Ogden Ave Ste 103, Naperville, IL 7.15 mi
  - 630-906-7827
- 2112 W Galena Blvd # B, Aurora, IL 9.51 mi
- McDonald's
  - 630-231-1999
- 305 S Neltnor Blvd, West Chicago, IL 3.36 mi
  - 630-232-1350
- 1190 E State St, Geneva, IL 3.85 mi
  - -630-879-0024
- 125 W Wilson St, Batavia, IL 4.47 mi

• Quiznos Sub

- 630-961-1600

1523 N Aurora Rd Ste 119, Naperville, IL 4.97 mi

- (847) 836-0300

2166 S Randall Rd, Geneva, IL 6.59 mi

- 630-933-8794

116 N Main St, Wheaton, IL 8.02 mi

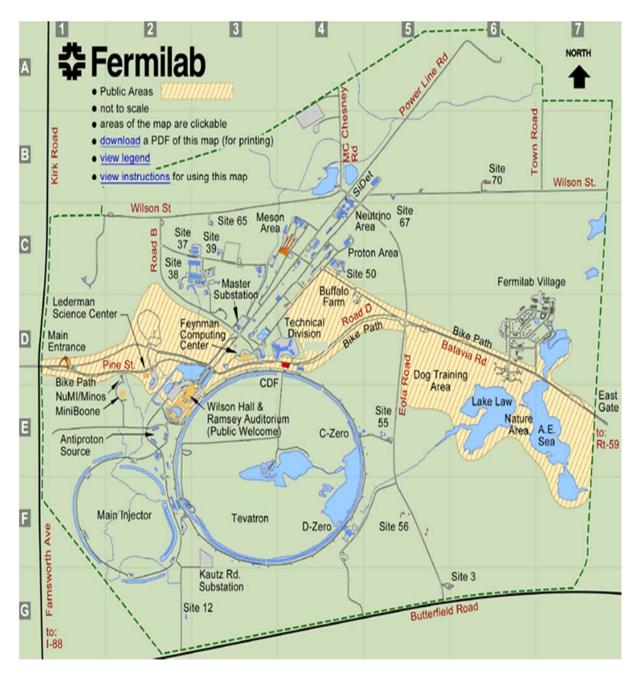
• Jimmy John's Sandwiches

630-355-1414

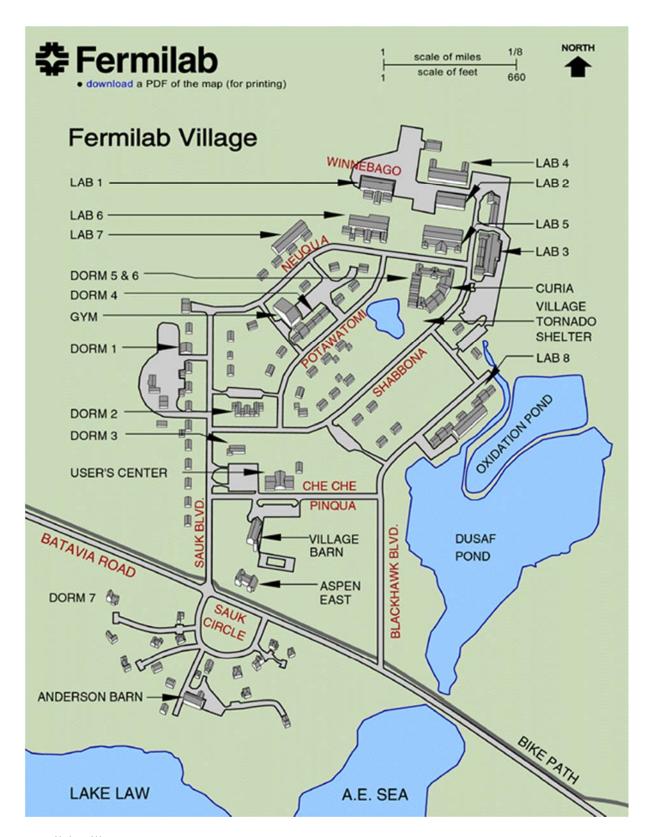
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# **Appendix 6: Fermilab Maps**

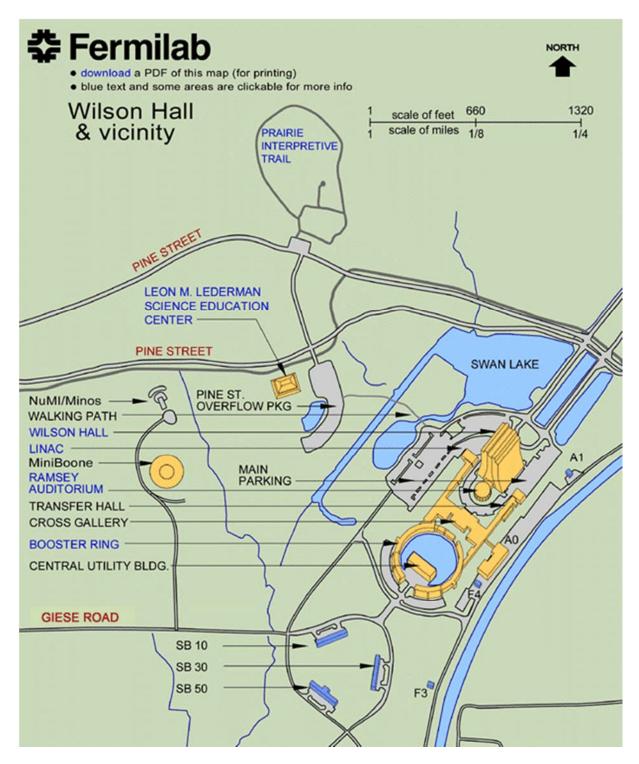
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Fermilab Village



Wilson Hall

# **Appendix 7: Fermilab Conference Rooms and Usage**

Location	Name	Video Conference	Capacity	To Reserve, Contact
Booster Tower East	Cooler	-	15	6032
Booster Tower West	Penthouse	-	25	4446
Building 327	Big Room	Yes	200	2986
Cross Gallery Control Room	Dungeon	-	24	4468
Cross Gallery Control Room	Huddle	-	40	4468
Cross Gallery East	Garage	-	10	4736
DZero 3rd Floor	Hurricane Deck	Yes	50	2986
DZero 5th Floor	Fifth Dimension	Yes	8	2986
DZero Trailer 151	Doghouse	Yes	20	2986
DZero Trailer 151	Far Side	Yes	25	2986
F4 Service Building	Motel	-	20	4468
Feynman Computing Center	FCC 1 West	Yes	20	cd-sis@fnal.gov
Feynman Computing Center	FCC 2A	Yes	25	cd-sis@fnal.gov
Feynman Computing Center	FCC 2B	-	10	cd-sis@fnal.gov
Feynman Computing Center	FCC 3 East	-	10	cd-sis@fnal.gov
Industrial Bldg #2	IB-2 Conference Room	Yes	20	3729
Industrial Bldg #3	IB-3 Conference Room	Yes	17	3729
Industrial Bldg #3A (IB3A)	IB3 Addition	Yes	27	3729
Industrial Center Bldg	Hermitage	Yes	40	3411
Industrial Center Bldg (ICB-2W)	ICB 2W (HQ)	Yes	28	3411
Linac North	Bungalow	-	15	4446
MW-9	Outfield	-	12	5752
Silicon Detector Facility (SiDet)	SiDET Conference Room	Yes	30	8308
Transfer Gallery	Loft	-	20	6032
WHGFS	Ramsey Auditorium	-	830	3211
WH1E	One East	Yes	40	8720
WH1NW	One North	-	45	3211
WH1SW	Small Dining Room	-	15	3211
WH1W	One West	-	175	3211
WH2NE	Snake Pit	Yes	25	3211
WH2NW	Black Hole	Yes	25	3211
WH2SE	Comitium	-	25	3211
WH2SW	Curia II	-	1	3211
WH2X	2nd Floor Cross Over	-		3211
WH3NE	Conjectorium	-	30	8585
WH3NW	Theory	-	30	8585
WH4NW	Req Room	-	20	4168
WH4SE	Abacus	-	8	3242

WH5E	Baptismal	-	4	4637
WH5E	Confessional	-	12	4637
WH5E	Tabernacle	-	8	4637
WH5SW	Board Room	-	20	cd-sis@fnal.gov
WH6W	Darkside	Yes	24	3758
WH7W	Woodshed	-	12	cd-sis@fnal.gov
WH7X	Bullpen	-	8	5811
WH7X	Racetrack (Directorate Room)	Yes	39	3211
WH8SW	Quarium	Yes	12	3200
WH8X	Hornets Nest	Yes	65	3200
WH9SE	Libra	Yes	20	4152
WH9W	WH909	-	4	cd-sis@fnal.gov
WH10NW	West Wing	Yes	40	8529
WH11NE	Sunrise	Yes	40	6408
WH11SE	CMS Round Table	Yes	6	6408
WH11SW	Sunset	Yes	6	6408
WH12SW	Batcave	-	15	2312
WH12X	Nu's Room	-	25	2312
WH13X	Fish Tank (GDE/ILC Conf. Room)	Yes	14	8907, 3211
WH14E	19th Hole	-	10	4206
WH14NX	Conference Cubicle	-	6	4206
WH15W	Aquarium	-	16	3978

# **Appendix 8: Area Bars**

Bad Dog Bar & Grill
630-231-4507
243 W Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 2.11 mi

Synergy
630-231-6000
243 W Roosevelt Rd, West Chicago, IL 2.11 mi

Hot Shots
 630-393-1241
 2s610 State Route 59, Warrenville, IL 2.18 mi

Bar Incorporated
630-585-1714
2264 Foxmoor Ln, Aurora, IL 2.49 mi

• Cobblestone Road Tavern 630-231-1282 216 Main St, West Chicago, IL 3.05 mi

• Red Star Tavern 630-978-8800 1650 Premium Outlet Blvd Ste 989, Aurora, IL 3.67 mi

Towne Tap Incorporated
 630-393-1633
 28w247 Warrenville Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.16 mi

Stop-Lite Inn
 630-879-8202
 105 E Wilson St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi

O'Brien's Pub & Grill
630-406-9200
12 N River St, Batavia, IL 4.29 mi

End Zone
 630-851-2555
 1650 N Farnsworth Ave, Aurora, IL 4.35 mi

Little Owl Restaurant & Tavern 630-232-7223
101 W State St, Geneva, IL 5.03 mi

• Cabooses Pub & Grill 630-232-9448 300 Crescent Pl, Geneva, IL 5.03 mi

Mike's Place
 630-859-9565
 165 S River Rd, North Aurora, IL 5.78 mi

Mc Cue Bar & Grill
630-897-5925
255 E Indian Trl, Aurora, IL 5.90 mi

Little Red School House
630-859-0252
110 S Lincolnway, North Aurora, IL 6.09 mi

• DE King's Tavern 630-859-9591 833 Aurora Ave, Aurora, IL 6.09 mi

Yancy's Tavern
630-844-0139
1275 N Lake St, Aurora, IL 6.28 mi

• Chord on Blues 630-513-0074 106 S 1st Ave, St Charles, IL 6.28 mi

• Thirsty Fox Pub 630-377-6634 104 E Main St, St Charles, IL 6.34 mi

Tribella Bar & Grill
630-406-9696
1900 Mill St, Batavia, IL 6.40 mi

Shanahan's Pub
630-562-2146
2n258 County Farm Rd, West Chicago, IL 6.46 mi

• Pub 222 630-584-4222 222 W Main St, St Charles, IL 6.46 mi

St Charles Pub & Grill
630-587-4251
312 W Main St, St Charles, IL 6.59 mi

Half Time Sports Bar & Grill
630-293-0553
27w103 North Ave, West Chicago, IL 6.59 mi

Orazio Pub
630-357-4350
333 N Center St, Naperville, IL 6.77 mi

Shore Club 630-859-1498220 N Broadway, Aurora, IL 6.84 mi

White Tavern630-357-1890423 E Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 6.84 mi

- Red Door Tavern630-961-00837 W Jackson Ave, Naperville, IL 6.96 mi
- Who's Inn There 630-357-2420 634 E Ogden Ave, Naperville, IL 6.96 mi
- Lantern630-355-70998 W Chicago Ave, Naperville, IL 6.96 mi
- O'Malley's Bar & Grill630-898-8700701 Hill Ave, Aurora, IL 7.15 mi
- Red Star Geneva
   630-845-0845
   1602 Commons Dr, Geneva, IL 7.15 mi
- Tavern on the Fox630-896-666724 N Broadway, Aurora, IL 7.15 mi
- Rudy's Place 630-898-7769 900 Hill Ave, Aurora, IL 7.21 mi
- Ray's Evergreen Tavern
  630-584-3535
  1400 W Main St, St Charles, IL 7.21 mi
- El Potrillo630-906-919333 S Broadway, Aurora, IL 7.21 mi
- Tommy O's Sports Bar & Grill 630-906-1400 945 Oak St, North Aurora, IL 7.27 mi
- Mickey's Tavern 630-898-5499 475 Hinman St, Aurora, IL 7.46 mi
- Half Moon Tavern
  630-377-9823
  2222 W Main St, St Charles, IL 7.71 mi

# Appendix 9: Area Movie Theaters, Golf Clubs, Bowling Alleys, and Book Stores

#### **MOVIE THEATERS**

- Regal Cinema Cantera 17 and Stadium RPX 847-765-7262
   28250 Diehl Rd, Warrenville, IL 4.79 mi
- Goodrich Randall 15
  630-225-8400
  550 N Randall Rd, Batavia, IL 60510
- Classic Cinemas Charlestowne 18 3740 E Main St, St Charles, IL 5.16 mi
- Arcada Theater
   630-845-8900
   105 E Main St, St Charles, IL 6.34 mi
- Glen Ellyn Theater
  630-415-1976
  540 Crescent Blvd, Glen Ellyn, IL 10.69 mi
- Marcus Elgin Fox Theater
  847-622-1000
  111 S Randall Rd, Elgin, IL 13.18 mi
- AMC Yorktown 17
  630-495-0010
  80 Yorktown Shopping Ctr, Lombard, IL 13.92 mi
- Classic Cinemas Tivoli Theater
   See web site
   5021 Highland Ave, Downers Grove, IL 14.29 mi
- Hollywood Palms
   630-428-5200
   352s Rt 59, Naperville

#### **GOLF COURSES**

- Settler Hill Golf Course 630-232-1636 919 E Fabyan Parkway, Batavia,IL (1.7 miles)
- Valley Green Golf Course 630-897-3000 314 Kingswood Drive, North Aurora, IL (3.3 miles)

- Prairie Landing Golf Club 630-208-7600
   2325 Longest Drive, West Chicago, IL (4.0 miles)
- Pottawatomie Golf Course 630-584-8356 845 N 2nd Avenue Saint Charles, IL (5.2 miles)
- Orchard Valley Golf Club 630-907-0500 2411 W Illinois Avenue, Aurora, IL (5.3 miles)
- Pheasant Run Golf Course 630-584-6342 4051 E Main Street, Saint Charles, IL (5.6 miles)
- Pheasant Run Resort 630-584-6300 4051 E Main Street, Saint Charles, IL (5.6 miles)
- St Andrews Golf Club 630-231-3100 3n441 Rt 59, West Chicago, IL (6.0 miles)
- Meadowbrook Golf Group 630-968-4653 31w775 North Avenue, West Chicago, IL (6.0 miles)
- Country Lakes Golf Course 630-420-1060 1601 Fairway Dr, Naperville, IL (6.0 miles)
- Blackhawk Golf Club 630-443-3500 5N748 Burr Road, Saint Charles, IL (6.1 miles)
- Royal Fox Golf Club 630-584-4000 4405 Royal and Ancient Dr, St Charles, IL (7.1 miles)

• Wolf Run Golf Course 630-906-1402 1700 Jericho Road, Aurora, IL (7.4 miles)

• Phillips Park Golf Course 630-898-7352 901 Ray Moses Drive, Aurora, IL (7.7 miles)

Klein Creek Golf Club
630-690-0101
1N333 Pleasant Hill Rd, Winfield, IL (8.0 miles)

Cantigny Golf & Tennis630-668-332327W270 Mack Road, Wheaton, IL (8.0 miles)

Cress Creek Country Club
630-355-7300
1215 Royal Saint George Drive, Naperville (8.4 miles)

• Springbrook Golf Course 630-848-5060 2220 83 St. Naperville, IL

#### **BOWLING ALLEYS, POOL AND DARTS**

- Bowling Green 630-231-2400. 243 West Roosevelt Rd. in West Chicago. This place is more than a bowling alley. They have sand volleyball and other activities. Attached to the alley is the night club Synergy, described elsewhere. They have on the order of 40 lanes, and automatic scoring.
- AMF Bowling Center. 630-897-0401. 310 S Lincolnway, North Aurora
- Pool-A-Rama. 630-851-9090. 150 Trade St. Aurora.
- Fox Bowl. 630-690-2400. 1101 Butterfield Rd. Wheaton.
- St Charles Bowl. 630-584-9400. 2520 W Main St, St Charles.
- Funway Entertainment Center 630-879-8717. 1335 S River St., Batavia.
- Brunswick Gala West Bowling, 630-355-7622, 1515 Aurora Av., Naperville.

#### **BOOKS AND COFFEE SHOPS**

#### Starbucks

- 115 N Randall Rd Batavia.
- 229 W. State St. Geneva.
- 101 E. Main St., St. Charles.
- 1157 N Eola Rd, Aurora
- 1480 N. Orchard Rd. Aurora.
- 559 Fairway Drive, Naperville.
- 42 W. Jefferson Av., Naperville
- 860 W 75th St. Naperville
- 31 Town Square. Wheaton.
- 1163 E Ogden Ave. #724. Naperville.

#### Barnes and Noble

- 102 Commons Dr., Geneva. 630-262-8568.
- 47 East Chicago Ave. Suite 132. Naperville. 630-579-0200.
- 351 Town Square Wheaton, Wheaton. 630-653-2122.

Town House Cafe 630-584-8603. 105 N 2nd Ave, St Charles

Anderson's Bookshop 630-637-9700. 123 W Jefferson Ave, Naperville.

Book Rack 630-355-3505. 1007 W Ogden Ave Ste A, Naperville

# **Appendix 10: Useful Websites and Phone Numbers**

- Fermilab Home Page: The one from which all the others can be accessed, also has a lot of PR stuff on it, including a clickable tour of the lab <a href="http://www.fnal.gov">http://www.fnal.gov</a>
- Fermilab at Work: Links to the home pages of all experiments at Fermilab http://www.fnal.gov/faw/fermilab at work.html
- Fermilab Today: Published daily with all the news and upcoming events at Fermilab http://www.fnal.gov/pub/today/index.html
- Fermilab Phone Directory, White Pages: Listing of everyone with a Fermilab ID badge, including both Fermilab employees and visiting scientists. All Fermilab phones are area code 630, prefix 840. From an on-site phone, dial only the 4-digit extension <a href="http://www-tele.fnal.gov/telephone">http://www-tele.fnal.gov/telephone</a>
- Fermilab Phone Directory, Yellow Pages: Listing of all Fermilab departments and offices <a href="http://www-tele.fnal.gov/telephone/yellow/yellow.html">http://www-tele.fnal.gov/telephone/yellow/yellow.html</a>
- Users Executive Committee: The user's Executive Committee is a group elected to represent the voice of the user's of Fermilab to the Directorate <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/fermilab users">http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/fermilab users</a> org
- Fermilab Student and Postdoc Association: Group of elected graduate students and postdocs; representatives of the young researcher community at Fermilab. The FSPA offers classes, tours, and other kind of activities http://orgs.fnal.gov/fspa
- Fermilab Housing Office: Information about the housing options on the Fermilab site http://fess.fnal.gov/accommodations/index.html
- Airline Tickets Travel Office, Wilson Hall 4-SE, x3398, e-mail: travel@FNAL.gov
- Arts & Lecture Series Tickets x2787: <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/index.shtml">http://www.fnal.gov/culture/NewArts/index.shtml</a>
- Cafeteria Wilson Hall 1 South. The cafeteria on the first floor of Wilson Hall serves breakfast, lunch and snacks, Monday through Friday, and breakfast and lunch on Saturday. There is usually no service on Sundays and holidays. Hours are posted near the cashier <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/orientation/diningserv.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/orientation/diningserv.html</a>
- Car Rental Users' Office, Wilson Hall 1W, **x3111**.
- Cashier Wilson Hall 4E (just outside East elevator), **x5808**, Tues.-Fri., 1:00-3:00 PM. Personal checks up to \$200 may be cashed with a Fermilab ID.
- CERN Courier Sign up for mailing list in Users' Office or Office of Communication.
- Chez Leon Dining Users' Center, Wednesday lunch 11:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m., Dinner some Fridays 6:00 p.m. By reservation only (x3524). Menus listed at http://fess.fnal.gov/chezleon/index.html

- Computer Accounts Details and procedures for requesting computer accounts may be obtained by going to http://computing.fnal.gov/xms/Services/Getting Started/Introduction to Computing at Fermilab
- Copying Duplicating Wilson Hall Ground Floor, or Library, Wilson Hall 3 South.
- Cultural Activities Program announcements. Atrium Reception Desk, Wilson Hall 1 North, **x3353**: http://www.fnal.gov/pub/events/index.html
- Day Care 28 Shabbona, for information x3762 or x3082.
- Discount Tickets (Recreation) x5427 <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/recreation/convenience.html">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/recreation/convenience.html</a>
- E-Mail Addresses To find telephone numbers or email addresses: http://www-tele.fnal.gov/telephone
- EMERGENCY x3131 Fire, Ambulance, Security. Stay on line to answer any questions.
- Environment, Safety and Health Manual ES&H Section, Wilson Hall 7 East:
- Fax Communications Center Wilson Hall Ground Floor, 1-630-840-4343. Check Fermilab Phone Book for other Fax numbers.
- Fermilab Today Electronic newsletter published Monday through Friday. Office of Communication, Wilson Hall 1 East, x3351 <a href="http://www.fnal.gov/pub/today/">http://www.fnal.gov/pub/today/</a>
- Gate Passes Obtain passes through Keys and ID Office, Wilson Hall Ground Floor.
- Gym Membership Includes pool and gym memberships, leagues, clubs, etc. Recreation Office, Wilson Hall - 15 West, x2548 or x5427
- History and Archives: http://history.fnal.gov/
- Housing Information Aspen East in Village, x3777, e-mail: housing@fnal.gov
- Key Requests Key requests must go through the appropriate Division or Section Office. Keys and ID Office, Wilson Hall Ground Floor, **x4506**.
- Library Wilson Hall 3 South, x3401, e-mail: library@fnal.gov http://bss.fnal.gov/library/index.html
- Lost and Found Communications Center, Wilson Hall Ground Floor, x3000.
- Mailing Lists Users' Office, Wilson Hall 1 West, **x3111**.
- Maps Users' Office, Wilson Hall 1 West, **x3111**.
- Medical Clinic Wilson Hall Ground Floor West, x3232.

- NALWO (National Accelerator Women's Organization) An organization open to all women and their families affiliated with Fermilab, English practice, cooking demonstrations, family events, playgroups for children, potlucks, recreational dancing, special events http://www.fnal.gov/orgs/nalwo/.html
- Notary Public Abri Credit Union, Wilson Hall Ground Floor North, x3293
- Personnel Policy Guide: http://wdrs.fnal.gov/policies/index.html
- PREP Equipment Loans prep@fnal.gov http://cdorg.fnal.gov/ese/ESEPREP.html
- Radiological Control Manual ES&H Section, Wilson Hall -7 East: <a href="http://www-esh.fnal.gov/pls/default/esh\_home\_page.page?this\_page=900">http://www-esh.fnal.gov/pls/default/esh\_home\_page.page?this\_page=900</a>
- Recreation Membership Recreation includes pool and gym memberships, leagues, clubs, etc.
   Recreation Office, Wilson Hall 15 West, x2548 or x5427:
   http://wdrs.fnal.gov/recreation/facility.html
- Remote Computing Access: <a href="http://computing.fnal.gov/vpn/">http://computing.fnal.gov/vpn/</a>
- Service Desk (Fermilab IT Service Desk), x2345: <a href="http://servicedesk.fnal.gov">http://servicedesk.fnal.gov</a>
- Social Security Applications: http://www.ssa.gov/
- Stockroom Site 38, Warehouse #1, **x3825**, Mon.-Fri., 8:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m., and 12:30-4:30 p.m.
- Taxi Call HACK (**x4225**), 7:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. weekdays, on-site transportation only. Off-site: Fox River taxi, 630-715-3455, or West Suburban Limo Service 630-668-9600
- Technical Publications Wilson Hall 3 South West, Mail Station #358, **x5693**, email: techpubs@fnal.gov
- Telephone Numbers Telephone numbers or email addresses, <a href="http://www-tele.fnal.gov/cgi-bin/telephone.script">http://www-tele.fnal.gov/cgi-bin/telephone.script</a>
- Tours The Education Office, **x5588**, makes reservations for and conducts guided tours.
- Travel Office Wilson Hall 4 South East, x3398, e-mail: travel@fnal.gov
- Users' Center 10 Che Pinqua, Village; Mon. Thurs. 5:00 p.m. − 10:00 p.m.. Fridays 5:00 p.m. to midnight. Bar, snacks, recreation are available.
- Users Office The Users' Office is the best resource for experimenters for Fermilab information (Wilson Hall Mezzanine, between the ground and first floors, MS 232. Regular office hours on Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. CST, x3111 and x3811, e-mail: usersoffice@fnal.gov): <a href="http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/">http://wdrs.fnal.gov/users/</a>
- Vehicle Stickers Keys and ID Office, Wilson Hall ground floor next to the Communications Center, x4506.

- Visa Office The Visa Office provides U.S. immigration-related guidance to user's and assistance to employees, as well as information about changes to U.S. immigration laws or policies, and about consulate processing of visas. The website at visas.fnal.gov has a lot of useful information, or email visaoffice@fnal.gov.
- Visitors ID Badges Required for all experimenters, obtained through Users' Office, Wilson Hall Mezzanine.
- Weekend Services Communications Center, Wilson Hall Ground Floor North, **x3000**. Dispenses pre-arranged housing contracts, airline tickets; dispatches Security to handle emergency stockroom withdrawals, PREP exchange/withdrawal, housing lockouts, and emergency on-site transportation.
- Yellow Pages Fermilab Telephone Directory, or http://www.tele.fnal.gov/telephone/yellow/yellow.html

# **Appendix 11: Hospitals and Medical Centers**

The distance in miles refers to from the intersection of Batavia Rd. and Eola Rd. in the Fermilab site.

• Rush-Copley Memorial Hospital 630-978-6200 2000 Ogden Av, Aurora, IL 3.92 mi http://www.rushcopley.com/

• Visiting Nurse Association of Fox Valley

630-978-2532

1245 Corporate Blvd, Fifth floor, Aurora, IL 3.98 mi

http://freeclinicdirectory.org/detail/visiting nurse association health center aurora il.html

#### • Northwestern Medicine Delnor Hospital

630-879-7546

 $\underline{\underline{http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/hospitals/delnor?locationtype=hospitals\&city=geneva\&keyword=\underline{Delnor}$ 

• Maplewood Health Care Center

630-892-7627

310 Banbury Rd, North Aurora, IL 5.03 mi

http://www.wellness.com/dir/2506720/nursing-home/il/north-aurora/maplewood-health-care-center-inc-referrer

• Northern Medicine /Cadence Travel Medicine

630-315-1730

636 Raymond Dr Ste 204, Naperville, IL 5.03 mi

http://www.cadencehealth.org/what-we-offer/services/travel-medicine

#### • Cadence Convenient Care-River North

630-416-2300

636 Raymond Dr Ste 106, Naperville, IL 5.03 mi

 $\underline{\text{http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/locations-search-results/?locationtype=convenient-care&city=} \underline{\text{naperville}}$ 

#### • North Western Medicine-Central Dupage Hospital

630-933-1600

25 N Winfield Rd, Winfield, IL 5.53 mi

http://www.cadencehealth.org/locations/hospitals/CDH?locationtype=hospitals

#### • Central Dupage Hospital-Convenient Care

630-377-6500

2900 Foxfield Rd Ste 100, St Charles, IL 5.59 mi

http://www.cadencehealth.org/

• Marianjoy Rehabilitation Hosp

800-462-2366

26W171 Roosevelt Rd, Wheaton, IL 5.66 mi

http://www.marianjoy.org/

• Du Page County Public Health 630-682-7400 111 N County Farm Rd, Wheaton, IL 5.84 mi http://www.dupagehealth.org/

- Dreyer Medical Clinic-Fox Valley Villages 630-851-3105 4100 Healthway Dr, Aurora, IL 5.84 mi http://www.dreyermed.com/locations
- Center for Surgery 630-505-7733 475 E Diehl Rd, Naperville, IL 6.34 mi http://centerforsurgery.com/
- Spalding Clinical Service 630-305-0464 1831 Bay Scott Cir # 105, Naperville, IL 6.59 mi http://spclinical.com/
- Provena Mercy Medical Center 630-859-2222 1325 N Highland Ave, Aurora, IL 6.71 mi http://www.provena.org/mercy/

Cadence Cancer Center
630-933-4800
630-232-0610
304 Randall Rd, Geneva, IL 6.96 mi
http://cadencephysiciangroup.com/locations/geneva/304-randall-rd

- Northwestern Medicine Delnor Hospital 630-208-3000 300 Randall Rd, Geneva, IL 6.96 mi http://www.cadencehealth.org/
- Naperville Surgical Centre 630-305-3300 1263 Rickert Dr, Naperville, IL 7.02 mi http://napervillesc.mwsmg.com/
- University of Chicago Hospital 630-355-4885 640 S Washington St, Naperville, IL 7.15 mi http://www.uchospitals.edu/index.shtml
- Linden Oaks at Edwards Hospital 630-305-5027 852 S West St, Naperville, IL 7.21 mi

• Edward Hospital 630-527-3000 801 S Washington St, Naperville, IL 7.33 mi http://www.edward.org/

Words of Advice:

Check here for the rankings of Illinois hospitals by the U.S. News and World Report:

http://health.usnews.com/best-hospitals/area/il

Read these articles to better understand what these rankings mean:

 $\underline{http://health.usnews.com/health-news/best-hospitals/articles/2014/07/15/faq-how-we-ranked-the-best-hospitals-2014-15}$ 

http://healthcaresavvy.wbur.org/2011/11/tiered-ratings-for-physicians-and-hospitals-what-do-they-mean